WEATHER FORECAST

Victoria and vicinity for 36 hours ending 5 p.m. Friday: Decreasing westerly winds, partly cloudy and colder at night.

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TOTAL DISARMAMENT PROPOSED TO-DAY BY RUSSIA

Brief Truce Before Fight On Shanghai-Woosung Front

Non-combatants Led Away While Artillery Prepares to Bombard

Four-hour Truce at Shanghai and Woosung Expected to Be Followed By Heaviest Japanese-Chinese Fighting Yet Witnessed

JAPANESE EMPIRE DAY BRINGS LULL

By Morris J. Harris, Associated Press Correspondent

Shanghai, China, Friday, Feb. 12. — Five-hundred-pound aerial bombs will smash into Woosung when hostilities on that front are resumed, perhaps to-day, certainly before many days have passed.

It will be the first time such huge missiles of destruction have been used in this area, but the big bombs will not be dropped on the Chapei section of Shanghai, because that is too close to the International Settlement, and the explosion of such a bomb is terrific.

On Thursday the hostilities along the whole twenty-mile front from Chapei to Woosung were suspended because of the celebration of Japan's "Empire Day." Even the Chinese Government customs boats in the Whangpoo dressed ship as an international courtesy, and only the occasional spatter of machine gun fire interrupted the unaccustomed quiet.

Behind the lines, however, operations were going on which pointed unmistakably to preparations by both sides for a major engagement.

JAPANESE REINFORCED

It appeared the Japanese were waiting for the arrival of heavy reinforcements from Japan. Japanese sources here admitted they were hurrying to finish as quickly as possible their job of driving the Chinese out of the Shanghai area.

The Japanese apparently were planning a concentrated attack on both Woosung and Chapei, and indications were that it would be one of the largest military operations since the Russo-Japanese War.

WARNING TO SHIPS

Before the shelling of Woosung begins, it is likely international shipping will be warned it may be dangerous to navigate the Whangpoo in that vicinity at certain hours.

From 8 o'clock Friday morning to noon (4 o'clock this afternoon till 8 this evening Victoria time) there will be no firing either in Chapei or Woosung. This four-hour truce was agreed on yesterday so beleaguered civilians might be taken out of the danger zone.

Rev. Father Jacquinot, a Roman Catholic priest who lost an arm at Verdun, obtained from the Japanese naval command an agreement to cease tlefront so he might evacuate the general and the other neutral officials made a similar agreement with the Chinese and the German consul arranged a truce along the Woosung battfiring at 8 a.m. The British consulteaching staff of a German-owned college.

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INQUIRY ON CAR FATALITY

Coroner's Jury to Investigate Death of George Bissenden in Accident

William R. MacKintosh, Bus Driver, Appears on Manslaughter Charge

On a manslaughter charge arising out of the accident yesterday in which George Bissenden, 3552 Doncaster Drive, was killed, William R. MacKintosh, 437 Boleskine Road, appeared before Magistrate George Jay in city police court this morning.

No plea was entered and the case was remanded for one week on application of C. Harold Tait, defence counsel.

Mr. MacKintosh was granted bail yesterday afternoon in the sum of $5,000 in two sureties.

To-morrow morning at 10 o'clock the inquest over the body of Mr. Bissendent will be held at McCall Brothers' Funeral Home with Coroner E. C. Hart presiding.

Police to-day were continuing their search for the missing witness to the accident, a passenger in the bus at the time.

TWO ARRESTED IN THEFT CASE

C. Dawley and W. Ward Charged With Breaking and Entering Foul Bay Home

Clifford Dawley, alias Dixon, and Walter Ward, who were arrested by Detective Walter Calwell yesterday evening, were charged in City Police Court this morning with breaking and entering the home of J. P. Dempsey, 145 Beechwood Avenue.

They were granted a remand until to-morrow on application by Dawley, but bail was refused by the magistrate for the present. Dawley said they wished to secure counsel.

Dawley gave his name to the police as Dixon, and on the first information he was charged accordingly.

"This man's name is not Dixon," the magistrate stated when the information was handed to him.

He had given this name to the police, the magistrate was informed.

"What is your name?" he asked the accused.

"I'm charged under the name of Dixon," he said.

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IN SHANGHAI DANGER ZONE

Bombs dropped by planes fell and exploded on a building of Young-Allen Mission in Shanghai. Fears were experienced for Bishop Paul B. Kern of the Methodist Episcopal Church South, but according to latest dispatches he is safe and carrying on his work.

STOCKS RISE ON U.S. BILL

Emergency Measure Opening Federal Reserve Doors Wider Put Before Senate

Stocks Go Up $2 to $7 in Trading at New York; Day's Trading 2,700,000 Shares

Associated Press

Washington, Feb. 11.—The emergency measure opening the doors of the Federal Reserve Banks for rediscounting new paper, was introduced in the Senate late to-day by Senator Glass, Democrat, Virginia, with a statement saying the legislation would not be used "for excessive inflation of the currency."

STOCKS GO UP

New York, Feb. 11. — Washington's plan for blasting out obstructions to the flow of credit sharply stimulated the financial markets to-day.

Stocks came out of their recent slump with a rush. Principal shares soared $2 to $7 and closed virtually at the top, while the always inflamable Auburn made an extreme rise of $16.50 and closed near the top.

Bonds were strong and principal commodities, including sugar, cotton, wheat and corn, made substantial gains.

TAPE FALLS BEHIND

The advance in stocks was the largest since mid-December, and was well maintained throughout the active session. The ticker tape at one time fell three minutes behind transactions on the floor of the exchange.

Shorts had to pay dearly to cover commitments made during the dull declines from the January highs, and it was apparent some of the less experienced operators on that side of the market had received an expensive lesson.

SOME OF THE PRICES

United States Steel common was particularly buoyant, rising nearly $6 and closing with a gain of $5.37 at $43.87. American Telephone crossed $118 and finished with an advance of $7. American Can, at $62.75, was $5.75 above Wednesday's final quotation. Union Pacific, up $7.50 at the best, closed at $76, or $6.62 higher.

Auburn's final price was $109.75, up $15.75. Consolidated Gas of New York, Du Pont, American Tobacco "B," Allied Chemical, National Biscuit, Santa Fe and Air Reduction showed net gains of $4 to $6. New York Central, Southern Pacific, General Electric, General Motors and Standard Oil of New Jersey finished $2 to $3 to the good.

Transactions, which had been hovering around the million share mark during the market's recent period of

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Cosgrave Campaigns In Irish Free State

Dublin, Feb. 11.—President William T. Cosgrave declared in an election manifesto to-day that if the people of the Irish Free State elected a Republican government at the polls next Tuesday, it would release communists and terrorists, break the treaty and begin a series of quarrels with Great Britain. Such a government would give a free hand to those whose idea of patriotism "is to make war on their own people," he declared.

Diplomatic Change Is Not Approved

London, Feb. 11—The suggestion the British Ambassador should be withdrawn from Washington, leaving the Canadian Minister at Washington to speak in the United States in the name of the British Empire, was made by a member in the Commons this afternoon.

In reply, however, Capt. R. A. Eden, Under-Secretary for Foreign Affairs, declined to consider the suggestion.

Reeve Calls Police To Watch Reporters And They Eat Humbugs

Saanich Salary Question Discussed Behind Constable's Back

Reporters Told to Wait Few Minutes, Kept Waiting Over Three Hours

Reeve William Crouch yesterday evening provided the Saanich School Board with a police guard at the Municipal Hall. The North Saanich motorcycle officer was called from his beat and stationed at the door of the council chamber for three hours, while the trustees wrestled with a delegation of teachers regarding the proposed salary reductions.

Newspaper representatives were requested by the trustees to wait outside the council chamber for a few minutes, while the board received the teachers.

Reeve Crouch, on his departure from the hall, beamed as he inspected his stalwart, leather-coated officer and his pleasure in his coup was evidenced when he returned the jovial "Good-night, Mr. Reeve," with which the reporters greeted his exit.

"Well, buddy, what's your name?" asked one of the reporters and the officer replied, "Cummins."

"Oh, I say, that's just 'bull,' you know. I know Cummins very well," protested one of the reporters, arousing a roar of delight from the officer.

"Well, well, what is the use of trying to fool the press? Yes, I'm Bull," said the man of law.

He was Constable Joe Bull, son of a famous pioneer family, a recent acquisition to the police force.

A HAPPY TRIO

One of the reporters produced a paper bag.

"Let's enjoy ourselves; we are not bothering about those folks and their secrets inside. We should worry, let's have some humbugs outside here," said the reporter.

He distributed brandyballs with a lavish hand.

The hallway with its cold stone steps and draughts became wearisome after a few minutes and the reporters plucked up courage, from the presence of the officer, to edge their way into the comfortable office of the school board, where radiators fought off the chill. The officer in his leather jacket was baited into the sanctum with morsels of conversation, candies and cigarettes, and eventually found himself perched on a counter between the reporters and the door.

"This is a pretty mean trick on you, officer, to bring you from your work

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PAISH GIVES NEW WARNING

He Says British Tariff and U.S. Moves Do Not End Danger of Economic Collapse

Not Fundamental, Says British Economist in Discussing Countries' Measures

Associated Press

London, Feb. 11. The danger of a world economic breakdown has not been averted, but merely postponed by the measures the British and United States governments have taken, Sir George Paish, noted British economist, told the Associated Press to-day, and unless further action is taken the British tariff policy will make that breakdown all the more inevitable.

The measures to which he referred were creation of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation in the United States and the government's proposal for a general ten per cent tariff in Great Britain. Sir George recommended last December an international economic conference, revision of reparations, and temporary bank guaranty acts in all countries.

BEYOND ITS POWER

"The purpose of the new Finance Corporation is to check the decline of values if possible," he said to-day, "but the task would seem to be beyond its strength, for no remedy other than a great increase in world buying power can bring about a greater demand for American products and a substantial rise in the price of commodities.

"It is all to the good, however, that the step taken by the American Government should give more time for application of fundamental remedies."

BRITISH TARIFF

The British Government's action, Sir George does not view even in so hopeful a light.

"Introduction of tariffs in Great Britain," he said, "has created hope among business men who for some reason are easily deluded by the political theory that a tariff will improve the situation, although they realize the tariffs of other nations are extremely prejudicial to world prosperity, and therefore to their own.

"All this delusive hope is delaying the dynamic action of economic forces. Further continuation of the standstill agreements with regard to German commercial debts has created a hope the difficulty Germany is experiencing will be overcome in time to permit a settlement before Germany's bankruptcy becomes inevitable

NOT FUNDAMENTAL

"But if it is borne in mind that neither the action of Mr. Hoover nor that of the British Government is a fundamental remedy, it will be realized the danger of a complete world breakdown has not been averted, but merely postponed, and unless further action is taken it is obvious the British tariff policy will make that breakdown all the more inevitable and will make more difficult adjustment and repairs."

WHERE BOUND?

Sir George said the world reminded him of a man who jumped into a taxicab and told the driver to "drive like thunder." Some miles later the passenger rapped angrily on the window and demanded to know where the driver was going.

"I don't know," the driver answered. "You didn't say."

Estimates Before M.P.'s Next Week

Ottawa, Feb. 11.—The main estimates for the coming fiscal year beginning April 1 next may be tabled in the Commons on Monday. The estimates will not be tabled this week.

John Drinkwater, Ill, Is Gaining

London, Feb. 11.—John Drinkwater, the playwright, ill with bronchial influenza, was described to-day as much better.

Geneva Conference Hears Soviet Argument for Doing Away With Menace of War

STATES SOVIET PROPOSALS FOR DISARMAMENT

MAXIM LITVINOFF

Foreign Affairs Commissar, whose address was the chief feature of to-day's session of the World Disarmament Conference at Geneva.

Special Session Of League Asked

Geneva, Feb. 11.—China to-night or to-morrow will call for an extraordinary meeting of the League of Nations Assembly to consider the Japanese military operations at Shanghai, official Chinese quarters said to-night.

APOLOGY FROM JAPAN TO U.S.

Regret Expressed Aviators Dropped Bombs Near Marines in Foreign Area of Shanghai

Five Chinese Workmen Killed When Missiles Hit Cotton Mill and Explode

Associated Press

Tokio, Feb. 11—Admiral Kichisaburo Nomura, Japanese naval commander at Shanghai, visited United States marine headquarters there immediately after the bombing of the marines' billet in a Settlement cotton mill to-day and expressed his regret over the incident, the Navy Office announced.

Minister of the Navy Admiral Osumi also issued a statement in which he said he regretted profoundly the aviators' error which, he said, would be thoroughly investigated and punishment administered to those blamable.

DROPPED TOO SOON

The reports of the incident received here indicated the bombing plane had taken off from one of the aircraft carriers lying in the river off Shanghai and was approaching a Chinese troop concentration at a point near the North Station when the bombs were released too soon.

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Japanese Report On Casualties

Shanghai, Feb. 11.—Japanese officials to-day announced eighty Japanese soldiers, mostly bluejackets, had been killed since the Shanghai fighting began, and 450 wounded.

JAPAN HOLIDAY INVADES WAR

Chinese Customs Boats and Other Craft in Whangpoo Fly Flags on "Empire Day"

Associated Press

Shanghai, Feb. 11.—All was quiet along the Whangpoo to-day and at Japanese headquarters officers of several nationalities were drinking toasts and crying "Banzai."

"We are not fighting to-day," a Japanese staff captain said. "It is Kigensetsu."

The day was observed by Japanese as the 2,592nd anniversary of the birth of the first Japanese Emperor.

SHIPS DRESSED

Shanghai, Feb. 11.—This strictly informal "war" between China and Japan produced another odd incident to-day when Chinese Government customs boats in the Whangpoo River broke out in bunting and dressed ship in honor of Japan's "Empire Day."

All the other foreign warcraft also were dressed, for in the book of naval etiquette failure to recognize another nation's holiday is justifiable only if the celebrating country is not recognized or if there is a state of war.

NO MOBILIZATION OF FRENCH FLEET

Canadian Press

Paris, Feb. 11.—Positive denial was given to-night by the Ministry of the Navy regarding published reports the French fleet was mobilizing in the Mediterranean Sea. The fleet, it was stated, was merely proceeding with manoeuvres in the programme of exercises decided on a long time ago.

VOLUNTEER CORPS IN SHANGHAI RELIEVED

Shanghai, Feb. 11.—United States soldiers moved into the front line of the International Settlement defence to-day, to relieve the Shanghai Volunteer Corps, as both Chinese and Japanese rushed their preparations for a new onslaught along the Chapei-Woosung battlefront.

If Complete Universal Disarmament Impossible, Progressive Plan Should Be Adopted, Says Litvinoff

DELEGATES ALSO HEAR PAUL HYMANS

Conference Is Told Belgium Supports French Plan For International Police Force Under League

Canadian Press and Associated Press Dispatches

Geneva, Feb. 11.—Maxim Litvinoff, Commissar for Foreign Affairs of Soviet Russia, proposed total and universal disarmament to the World Disarmament Conference here today as the only valid security against war.

M. Litvinoff, chief of the Russian delegation to the conference, forecast the approach of another world war which, he predicted, would be more terrible than the last, unless disarmament is achieved.

The plan for total disarmament of the world, he admitted frankly to the delegates, would probably have slight chance of acceptance by the great powers and, as an alternative, he offered a second project for progressive and proportional disarmament. Then, to the surprise of many of the delegates, he assured the conference his government was ready to consider any proposal likely to achieve arms reductions.

In international quarters the Soviet declaration was credited with being marked by moderation and as likely to increase the possibility of success for the conference.

He rejected the French proposal for an international armed police force under the supervision of the League of Nations as unworkable.

WHAT GUARANTEE?

"What guarantee is there," he said, "that the new international organization would be really able or willing to use its strength for the defence of the weaker or for the protection of the attacked against the attacker?"

"The sole aim of the Soviet Government," M. Litvinoff said, "is building up socialism in the Soviet Union. In every sphere of economic life, it seems to the Soviet delegation that what has been obvious from the beginning must now be clear as daylight to all and sundry—that the Soviet requires neither increase of territory nor interference in the affairs of other nations to achieve its aim. It could, therefore, do without an army, a navy or military aviation or all other forms of armed forces.

NO ATTACK WANTED

"The Soviet Government, however, does require assurance there will be no attempts against Soviet territory and that all other states will not interfere with its internal affairs and that its peaceful economic construction will not be tampered with from without. It will only feel this assurance if other states agree to give up their armed forces."

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SEEK CASH FOR WAGE WARRANTS

Associated Press

Seattle, Feb. 11.—If banks and business men will cash 50 per cent of their salary warrants, municipal street car operators here will abandon strike plans, James Crehan, attorney for the carmen, told merchants' representatives to-day. No decision on the proposal, which would involve about $5,000, has been reached.

A walkout was tentatively set for Saturday because the men are unable to cash their warrants as revenues are being impounded to pay interest on the purchase bonds of the system.

Vincent Massey To Speak Here On Manchuria

Hon. Vincent Massey, former Canadian Minister at Washington, will address a Canadian Club luncheon in the Empress Hotel at noon next Monday. Mr. Massey's subject will be "The Manchurian Crisis," which he will show affects one-third of the world's population and which cannot be ignored or dismissed lightly by the western world. Mr. Massey has a first hand knowledge of his subject, since he was chairman of the Canadian delegation at the Institute of Pacific Relations gathering in Shanghai last year.

Students Open Petition For Bigger U.B.C. Grant

At Meeting in Vancouver To-day Discuss Securing of Signatures From All Over Province

Canadian Press

Vancouver, Feb. 11.—A mass meeting of students at the University of British Columbia to-day to launch a province-wide petition for a large financial grant to the university was announced by the student campaign committee.

The plan is that students will canvass the city and lower mainland for signatures and members of the Alumni Association will circulate the petition in other parts of the province.

"We do not protest against a reasonable reduction in the university grant," declared Earl Vance, president of the Alma Mater Society, "but we think a cut of 57 per cent is unfair, because it is greater than that imposed on any other public service."

Student leaders to-day said they were still hopeful of obtaining an increased grant in spite of Hon. Joshua Hinchliffe's statements that $250,000 was the maximum amount which could be provided. Earl Vance and Kenneth Martin, campaign leaders, will meet the caucus of Conservative members of the Legislature early next week and lay their case before the members.

Supporting the petition, students plan to continue speeches and radio broadcasts. Three circular letters have been sent to 5,000 citizens of the province. It is reported coupons attached to advertisements which appeared in Vancouver papers are being returned in large numbers from all parts of British Columbia.

Flood Refugees In Shanghai Killed

Shanghai, Feb. 11—Charges that Japanese aerial bombers had killed fifty-one Chinese flood refugees, men, women and children, in a refugee camp in Chapei last week were filed to-day with the Japanese Consul-General Mural by Sir John Hope-Simpson, director of the National Flood Relief Commission.

The bombardment, Sir John said, occurred February 5 and 6.

The flood relief directors' long protest reached Consul-General Mural today at about the same time Japanese planes were bombing the Wingon cotton mill in the International Settlement.

Sir John contended the bombing of the refugees' camp was unnecessary and without military advantage.

Copies of the protest were sent to the consuls of other nations here.

Discuss Research Group at Ottawa

Ottawa, Feb. 11.—The Commons today resumed discussion of the proposal to establish a "national council of social and economic research." William Irvine, U.F.A., Wetaskiwin, led off the debate this afternoon.

LABRADOR REPORT

Canadian Press

Ottawa, Feb. 11.—The government will table communications exchanged between Canada and Newfoundland in respect to Labrador next Monday.

Annual Publicity Meeting To-morrow

Presentation of the financial statement and the annual report of the directors and an address by Thad A. Stevenson, manager of the Tacoma Chamber of Commerce and a director of the Puget Sounders and British Columbians, Associated, will feature the annual luncheon meeting of the Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau in the Chamber of Commerce auditorium to-morrow at 12.15 o'clock.

Mr. Stevenson will speak on "The Value of Tourist Travel and Its Development."

During the luncheon the Rotary Club orchestra, under the direction of Bandmaster J. M. Miller, will render musical selections

A large attendance is anticipated.

EUROPE HAS BIG COLD WAVE

People as Far South as Marseilles and Balkans Suffer; Numerous Deaths

London, Feb. 11.—The cold wave which swept out of the Arctic yesterday had invaded Europe to-day as far south as Marseilles, France, on the Mediterranean. Numerous deaths have occurred.

The wave had apparently fastened itself on the continent for the most sustained drive of the winter.

Most of the continent was buried in snow, which delayed railway traffic, forced suspension of service by many airlines and brought English Channel shipping almost to a standstill.

Although the British Isles did not freeze up as solidly as central European countries, biting winds and snowstorms raked the countryside. Most of Scandinavia, Poland and the Balkans were snowbound.

Six persons died in the five-degree temperature in Belgium.

REPARATIONS POSTPONEMENT

Paris, Feb. 11.—An agreement between France and Great Britain on a formula for adjourning the reparations problem until June probably will be announced within the next day or so, according to a Foreign Office statement to-day.

It was indicated the formula would explain why the Lausanne conference was adjourned last month.

Announce Exemptions In New Tariff Bill

Wheat, Wool and Meat Not Included in British Ten Per Cent Levy, Minister Tells Commons

Canadian Press

London, Feb. 11.—Sir John Gilmour, Minister of Agriculture, announced in the Commons this afternoon that all agricultural and horticultural produce from foreign countries with the exception of wheat, wool and meat, would be included within the scope of the Imports Duties Bill introduced in the House yesterday.

Sir John described the step as an immediate aid to British agriculture.

His announcement further clarified the position of empire producers. It means the agricultural and horticultural producers in the Dominions and colonies will enjoy a measure of at least ten per cent preference in the British market until the Imperial Economic Conference assembles in July in Ottawa.

The Imports Duties Bill, introduced and given first reading yesterday, provides for imposition of a general ten per cent duty on all foreign products except wheat, meat, wool and cotton. British-caught fish, tea and coffee. The full list of exemptions, which of course nullify the advantages to the Dominions of the general tariff on

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STORM DELAYS NORTH SEARCH

Reported Plane Might Leave Aklavik To-day to Hunt For Trapper A. Johnson

Canadian Press

Aklavik, N.W.T., Feb. 11.—Stormy weather over the rugged Rat River foothills yesterday prevented Capt. W. R. "Wop" May from making contact with the R.C.M.P. posse on the trail of Albert Johnson, hunted on a charge of murder.

Twice Capt. May flew out from Aklavik in an effort to reach the ground party, and once he was turned back by the weather, and on the second occasion he was able to land but could not find the posse.

The storm also prevented the aviator from making an aerial search for Johnson.

If weather conditions permit, Capt. May will attempt another flight today to join the posse.

TO EDMONTON

The body of Constable E. Miller, shot and killed by Johnson January 30 is now at Aklavik and if possible it is planned that it will be taken to Edmonton by airplane for burial.

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BUTTER—Cowichan, a lb. 30¢; 3 lbs. for	87¢
Orchard City Peas, size 5, 3 tins for	25¢
Dinamite, Breakfast Food, 2 pkts.	35¢
Sugar Crisp Corn Flakes, 3 pkts.	25¢
Sunlight Soap, 2 pkts.	35¢
P. & G. White Naptha, 7 tablets	25¢
Jap Rice, No. 1, 6 lbs.	25¢
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ALL DAY

BUY AT CROSS' and SAVE

Verdict on Lorne Mine Man's Death

Kamloops, Feb. 11—The coroner's jury here which investigated the death of George Britton Kilkenny, twenty-three, who died in a Kamloops hospital February 3 from injuries received at Lorne Mine in the Bridge River district on the night of January 30, yesterday returned a verdict stating he came to his death as the result of injuries consisting of a compound fracture of the skull caused by some instrument in the hands of some person or persons unknown.

Evidence by Rosa Annala, Finnish girl, at the inquest was to the effect that she had gone to a dance on the night of January 30 with Kilkenny, and A. Komo and J. Risselmen were present, and that trouble arose.

Dr. J. S. Burris and Constable Corrigan also testified. The latter said Kilkenny had not been left to lie out in the cold, but had been given first aid attention immediately after being injured, and medical attention the following day.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

A French lecture by M. Leon Vallas, of the Sorbonde, Paris, official lecturer for L'Alliance Francaise, will be given in Victoria College on Monday, February 15, at 8.15. For particulars phone E 4801. ***

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Amy Wright and Robert Gunn had afternoon tea at Stevenson's, the consequence was—what do you think? ***

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David Spencer Choir Concert, in aid of the Victorian Order of Nurses. Guest artist, Margaret Fewster, operatic contralto. Shrine Auditorium, Friday, February 19, at 8.15 p.m. Tickets 50c. ***

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Free illustrated lecture, Chamber of Commerce Hall, Saturday, February 13, 8 o'clock, by Dr. Ray Neidig, field crop expert of the Consolidated Mining and Smelting Company of Trail. ***

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Florence Nightingale Chapter I.O. D.E.—Silver tea and book shower for sunroom, Jubilee Hospital, New Thought Temple Hall, Fort Street, Monday, February 15, 3 to 5 p.m. Everybody welcome. Musical programme. ***

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Valentine Tea, auspices volunteer Bible Class, First United Church, Y.W.C.A., Saturday, February 13, 3 to 6 p.m. Proceeds for under-privileged children. ***

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W.A. Donation Party at the Deanery, 852 Burdett Avenue, Tuesday, February 9, 3-6. ***

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Women's Canadian Club, Empress Hotel, Tuesday, February 16, 2.45. Hon. Vincent Massey, "The Present State of China." Soloist, Mrs. Arthur Dowell. ***

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Saskatchewan Soon To Have New Mines Act

Legislation to Be Based on Lengthy Report of Commissioner on His Inquiry, Made Public To-day

Canadian Press

Estevan, Sask., Feb. 11—A new Mines Act for Saskatchewan, replacing legislation which has proved inadequate to cope with the rapid progress of the province's coal industry will be based on recommendations contained in the Royal Commission report of Judge Wylie, made public to-day.

Acting on both federal and provincial orders-in-council, Judge Wylie conducted an investigation of the labor dispute in the coal fields last fall, which resulted in a thirty-day strike affecting all deep-seam mines and was climaxed by a street riot here with police officers, in which three miners were fatally wounded and a score of people were injured.

The inquiry was exhaustive, covering all phases of the dispute as well as an economic survey of the industry as a whole.

AT PRESENT SESSION

Hon. M. A. Macpherson, Attorney-General, stated in an interview yesterday that the findings would form the basis of new legislation to be introduced at these present session of the provincial Legislature.

Working and living conditions, production cost, wage schedules, equipment and market problems and prospects were studied in six of the deep-seam mines of the field.

The report of the commissioner, who sat for about twenty days, occupies 147 pages. It contains a summary of 2,472 pages of evidence given by 103 witnesses as well as the information in 130 documents submitted. W. J. Perkins and R. D. Newsome were counsel for the commission, W. W. Lynd, K.C., appeared for the operators, and W. H. S. Glew was secretary of the commission.

BIG MARKET

The most practical solution of the problem facing the lignite industry at the present time lies in its large potential market, the commission report finds. A provincial government survey in February, 1930, estimated that on the basis of the price of coal at that time and after making comparison of wheat values and railway mileages, coal from this field should command an annual market of about 3,000,000 tons. The output for 1930 was 579,424 tons.

Evidence given before the commission showed that if the production of the field were to be only doubled, costs of operation in the mines would be reduced from 39.4 to 23.9 per cent, and wages would be increased by 2 per cent without affecting in anyway the percentage of earnings on capital. The average number of days worked during the year, namely, 225 in 1929, or the average number of men employed, namely, 561 for the same year, would be increased in proportion.

AT DISADVANTAGE

Discussing the subvention granted by the Dominion Government, the commission report finds Saskatchewan lignite is placed at a serious disadvantage in competition with Alberta coal.

The report reads: "The Saskatchewan subvention should have been increased from 50 to 75 cents per ton rather than reduced to 40 cents per ton."

POSITION OF UNION

Beyond deciding the Mine Workers' Union of Canada, in which the miners of the coalfields were enrolled when they went on strike, is a revolutionary industrial union, the commissioner does not go into the fatal street riot, since several accused as rioters will appear in the King's Bench Court here next month. The report states the belief that James Sloan of Calgary, president of the union, withheld from the striking miners the knowledge they were acting illegally, and further states the opinion the majority of the men did not know of the subversive affiliations of their union.

ANNOUNCE EXCEPTIONS IN NEW TARIFF BILL

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articles put on the free list, will be made known perhaps to-morrow.

WHEAT QUOTA

So far as wheat was concerned, this was being dealt with separately. The government would introduce a bill to enforce its scheme for giving domestic wheat growers a guaranteed quota in the British market at a fixed price, the minister stated. It would give them an enhanced price for wheat of a millable quality, he said.

Additional duties on foreign agricultural and horticultural products over the basic 10 per cent ad valorem duty might be imposed if they should be recommended by the new import advisory commission, the minister proceeded.

MILK SHIPMENTS

A commission would be appointed to formulate schemes for the improvement of marketing methods for milk and milk products, and imports of this class would be dealt with under the Import Duties Bill.

Similarly a commission for the reorganization of the bacon industry would be appointed, and if a feasible scheme should be evolved the government would remove "quantitative regulation" of bacon imports. Under the new tariffs, bacon was included with meat on the free list.

A further commission would be appointed to consider the organization of marketing of home-grown potatoes if the growers should desire it.

Canadian Press and Associated Press

London, Feb. 11—The government to-day made known the full list of exemptions under the new tariff bill which imposes a general ad valorem duty of 10 per cent not applicable to the dominions until the Imperial Economic Conference at least.

Articles on the exempt list are as follows:

Gold and silver bullion and coin.

Wheat in grain form.

Meat—Beef, veal, mutton, lamb, pork, bacon, ham and edible offals, but not including extracts and essences of meat, or meat preserved in any air-tight container.

Live quadruped animals, fish of British taking, including shell-fish; tea; raw cotton, including unmanufactured cotton, waste and unbleached cotton linters; flax and hemp not further dressed after scutching or decortication; flax and hemp tow; cottonseed; rape seed and linseed; raw wool, including llama, vicuna, alpaca, mohair and cashmere; wool noils.

Hides and skins (including fur skins but not including goat skins), raw, dried, salted or pickled, but not further treated.

Newspapers, periodicals, printed books and music; newsprint (that is, paper in rolls containing not less than 70 per cent of mechanical wood pulp and of weight not less than 20 pounds or more than 25 pounds to the ream of 480 sheets of double crown, measuring thirty by twenty inches).

Wood pulp; raw rubber, including crepe rubber, latex, gutta percha and raw balata; iron, including manganiferous iron ore but not including chrome iron ore; scrap iron and crap steel; iron pyrites, including cuprehcous pyrites; tin ores and concentrates.

Wooden pit props; sulphur; mineral phosphates of lime, unset precious stones; radium compounds and ore.

All other products from foreign countries are subject to the 10 per cent duty and additional duties that may be imposed, following recommendations of the new imports advisory board.

IMPOSSIBLE TO BALANCE BUDGET

B.C. Finance Minister Makes Statement to West Vancouver Conservatives

Hopes to Change One Per Cent Tax to Make It More Equitable

West Vancouver, B.C., Feb. 11.—It will be impossible for the province to balance its budget this year, said Hon. J. W. Jones, Minister of Finance, addressing the local Conservative Association here yesterday evening.

He gave no indication of what deficit there would be, and hinted at a probable increase in taxation. Mr. Jones said he hoped to alter the one per cent income tax to make it more equitable.

A year ago, the Finance Minister said, he had declared his determination that a long era of deficits must cease, but he had no idea then of the collapse in revenue that was to occur.

Between 1871 and 1931, Mr. Jones declared there had been only ten years in which the province had completed its financial year with a surplus. In two of these there had been a non-party government, in two a Liberal government and in six a McBride government. For fifty-one years British Columbia had been rolling up deficits, and it was no wonder that it was staggering to-day under such a load.

When the Tolmie Government came into office it came into a legacy of $117,000,000 of debt, the Minister claimed. The province had been hitting the high spots. He laid the blame on all governments and also on the people. The governments had been carried away with undue optimism and the people had been too lavish in their demands.

BAR CANADIAN FROM U.S. ARMY

Young Man, Twice Over Border, Given Suspended Sentence in Seattle

Associated Press

Seattle, Feb. 11.—Robert E. Smiles, twenty-three, a Canadian, who twice slipped over the border in an attempt to join the United States army, was given a twelve-month suspended sentence to-day by Federal Judge Jeremiah Meterer, and advised to "fight for Canada—she is a fine country."

Smiles, whose father is a United States citizen living in Canada, in March, 1929, crossed the international border near Michigan and enlisted in the United States army under an assumed name.

Federal immigration authorities found him at the Presidio in San Francisco, and he was deported to Canada.

Last November he entered Washington at Blaine. He was found and jailed.

"You will never be able to fight for Uncle Sam," the judge said, advising him he must return to Canada. Fight for her, by boy. She is a fine country. The law says you may never come back here."

SEEK MONTHLY CAR LICENSES

Vernon, B.C., Feb. 11—The Vernon branch of the Auto Club of British Columbia is pressing for adoption of a monthly licensing system by the provincial government. They also state the provincial police are mounted on motorcycles of foreign manufactures, while British-made machines are recognized as standard.

U.S. LOOKS FOR NEW SALES TAX

Washington, Feb. 11. — A general manufacturers' sales tax 1 or 2 per cent appeared certain to be the big item on the new revenue bill being drafted by the House ways and means committee with appointment, to-day of a sub-committee of seven to study the proposal advocated by a large number of representatives of big industries.

Sub-committees also were appointed to draft recommendations for increases in the income tax and for the levying of a gift tax.

Acting Chairman Crisp declined to make the personnel of the sub-committees public. The proposal likely of approval is to levy a general sales tax on manufactures as they come from the factory in preference to taxes on individual manufactured products.

APOLOGY FROM JAPAN TO U.S.

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TWO BOMBS

Shanghai, Feb. 11—Lives of United States marines occupying part of a Chinese cotton mill in the American sector of the International Settlement were endangered to-day by two bombs dropped on the building by Japanese airplanes.

Five Chinese workmen in the mill were killed and fifteen wounded. The marine detachment, which was occupying the opposite end of the building, was jarred, but not harmed.

The mill was bombed by Japanese naval planes at about noon.

SHELL INJURES SIKH

A misdirected shell fell in the heart of the Settlement's business district at about the same time and exploded in an alley-way, injuring a Sikh watchman. Although the source of the missile was undetermined, it was thought to have come from a Chinese anti-aircraft gun.

TWO ARRESTED IN THEFT CASE

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The magistrate ordered the information changed to read "Dawley."

Dawley and Ward were arrested by Detective Calwell within two hours after the reported entry of the Dempsey home and the theft of $4.65 in cash. Detective Calwell took them into custody on Robertson Street, a short distance from the scene of the alleged theft.

Chief Thomas Heatley complimented Detective Calwell on his work this morning.

OTHER BURGLARIES

Two other house-breakings in the Foul Bay district were reported yesterday evening.

S. W. Blyth, 235 Beechwood Avenue, reported at 1 o'clock this morning that his place had been entered since 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon and ransacked, a few cigarettes being taken.

The sum of $2.65 was taken from the home of F. W. Baylis, 330 Robertson Street, as well as a diamond ring, which was afterwards recovered. Entry was gained by a basement window and the house ransacked.

Burglars were also active in the Burnside district. At the home of A. E. Nex, 3081 Carroll Street, the glass in the front door was broken and the door opened from the inside. Two rings, fifty cigarettes and about $6 was taken.

Detectives are investigating all these burglaries.

BANFF SUFFERS FIRST ROBBERY

Canadian Press

Banff, Alta., Feb. 11.—The first hold-up in the history of Banff, famous pleasure resort of the Rockies, was carried out yesterday when a lone gunman held up the Banff Cafe and escaped with $60.

Presenting a note reading "Hand over the bills," the bandit threatened the proprietor and customers with a leveled revolver. As the robber fled his mustache fell off, removal of the disguise revealing a young, clean-shaven face.

THREE-MAN PRAIRIE RULE STATED NEED

Montreal, Feb. 11.—"What the west needs most of all at present is a complete holiday from legislation for the next five years. It should have a three-man dictatorship to run the prairies," says Mayor Ralph Webb of Winnipeg.

Mayor Webb was in Montreal yesterday on his way to Lake Placid N.Y., to see the Winnipegs, Canadian Olympic hockey team, entry, perform.

ALBERTA TOWN TO USE SCRIP

Calgary, Feb. 11.—In an effort to combat the financial crisis, the little town of Raymond, Alta., will issue shortly $10,000 in scrip to take the place of currency, it was learned today. The scrip will be redeemable at par in January, 1933.

Certificates will be printed on both negotiable and non-negotiable paper, the latter to be used at par in payments of tax arrears, while the former will be issued to all employees of the town on a basis of 40 per cent paper and 60 per cent currency.

ITALY PREMIER VISITS POPE

Mussolini Talks With Pontiff For Hour on Occasion of First Meeting

By John Evans, Associated Press Correspondent

Vatican City, Feb. 11.—Premier Benito Mussolini, Il Duce of Italian Fascism, and Pope Pius XI, Holy Father of the Roman Catholic world, met to-day in the Pope's library at the Vatican for the first time and were closeted alone for a full hour, sealing the peace of the church and state which was begun by the Lateran Treaty three years ago.

The Premier's first visit to the Pope, anticipated for several months since the settlement of the controversy over the Catholic Action Society, was expected to last only a few moments, but continued for an hour, to the surprise of the waiting attendants of both Signor Mussolini and the Pontiff.

Judging by the Premier's smile as he emerged, the meeting was most pleasant. It was not learned if they had discussed state relations, but from all signs it was a thoroughly friendly talk.

KISSED RING

After the private conversation had ended, Il Duce presented the members of his party to the Pontiff and then reverently bent and kissed the Pope's ring as he had done when he entered, after which he said farewell and went to visit Cardinal Pacelli, Papal Secretary of State. Later he went to St. Peter's and knelt in prayer.

The visit went down as a notable mark in the history of church and state.

BIG FETE DAY FOR JAPANESE

Demonstrations Mark Commemoration of Founding of Island Empire

Canadian Press

Tokio, Feb. 11.—Japan celebrated the national holiday, "Kigensetsu," to-day with patriotic demonstrations which reflected the martial events of recent weeks in Manchuria and at Shanghai. Kigensetsu is the day on which the empire celebrates the supposed anniversary of its founding by Jimmu Tenno, a descendant of the Sun Goddess, in 660 B.C.

There were parades by several patriotic organizations, in which about 100,000 persons, mostly youths and schoolgirls, marched behind blaring bands and the national flag.

On the banners which marchers carried were slogans such as: "Be Loyal to the Emperor," "Love Our Country," "Don the Steel Helmet and Protect the Fatherland," "Courage and Service for Country."

The parades converged on the great Plaza in front of the Imperial Palace, and the paraders bowed in respect to their ruler.

MERELY HOLIDAY DEMONSTRATION

To-day's demonstration, however, belonged to a holiday celebration and represented practically the only departure from a dispassionate calm the Japanese have been maintaining despite the presence of thousands of their warriors on Chinese soil.

In other cities outward evidences of a war spirit were entirely lacking. In fact, the Japanese people do not consider themselves at war. The campaign news from China became an old story five months ago when the Manchurian activities began. During the first weeks public interest and patriotic fervor flamed high, but after Chinchow fell even the Shanghai outbreak failed fully to revive the fervor which had gradually abated.

No Committee On Wage Reductions

Canadian Press

Ottawa, Feb. 11.—The government does not propose to have appointed a select committee of the Commons which would be empowered to hear representations in respect to the ten per cent salary cut in the civil service. At the opening of the House to-day T. S. Ahearn, Liberal, Ottawa, asked Premier Bennett if such a select committee would be appointed when the legislation providing for the reduction in salaries was introduced.

"The answer is no," replied Mr. Bennett.

SNOW CHANGES TRAIN ROUTES

Vancouver, Feb. 11—A heavy fall of snow in Coquihalla Pass on Wednesday caused rerouting of passenger trains on the Kettle Valley railway. All traffic was handled via Spence's Bridge. The railway company kept snowploughs constantly at work and traffic was resumed on the regular route to-day. Passenger trains were detoured to avoid possibility of delay.

Argentina to Send Observer to Ottawa

Buenos Aires, Feb. 11.—Argentina is considering sending an observer to the Imperial Economic Conference to be held at Ottawa in July next, Foreign Minister Bioy announced to-day.

BEAUHARNOIS INQUIRY SOON

Senate Expected to Name Its Committee of Nine This Evening

Canadian Press

Ottawa, Feb. 11.—Attention will be focused on the Senate this evening when Senator Arthur Meighen, government leader in the Upper House, moves his motion to appoint a committee of nine to reopen the Beauharnois inquiry. The investigation would be limited to the parts played in the promotion and development of the power project by three senators named in the House of Commons investigation last year.

Liberal senators had a caucus yesterday at which it is understood the Liberal members to be named to the committee were chosen.

Five government members of the Upper Chamber and four Liberal senators will constitute the committee.

A conference was expected to be held to-day between Senator Meighen and Senator Raoul Dandurand, Liberal leader, in regard to the personnel.

Members from the Conservative side may include Senator Lendrum McMeans, Winnipeg, and Senator W. A. Griesbach, Edmonton.

NANKING BEING LEFT BY WHITES

Washington, Feb. 11.—Diplomatic activities in the onset between Japanese and Chinese settled into a status of watchful waiting to-day in the face of developments at Shanghai and Nanking that added a new tenseness to the situation.

United States Consul-General Willys R. Peck at Nanking reported to the United States State Department that several British, United States and German citizens were leaving for Shanghai.

The Consul-General said that on the advice of the British Consulate, most of the British women and children were evacuating Nanking, that German women and children were evacuating Nanking and that the remainder of the German community was prepared to leave at a moment's notice.

MAN ADMITS HE KILLED SIX

Agen, France, Feb. 11.—Police to-day said Pierre Delafe had confessed he had murdered his wife and five other members of his family Monday because Mrs. Delafe was slow in opening a door for him.

GENEVA CONFERENCE HEARS SOVIET ARGUMENT FOR DOING AWAY WITH MENACE OF WAR

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M. Litvinoff said he foresaw the rapid approach of a new armed conflict, provoked by the intensification of political and international differences between the various states. Such a war, he said, could only be prevented by total and general disarmament.

BELGIUM'S POSITION

M. Litvinoff was preceded by Paul Hymans, Belgian Foreign Minister. M. Hymans announced Belgium would support the French plan for an international police force under the League of Nations and particularly the French preposals for abolishing the most powerful offensive arms and for the internationalization of airplanes.

"The people will not renounce defensive weapons," M. Hymans said, "until they have the equivalent of guarantees of protection."

By George Hambleton, Canadian Press Staff Writer

Geneva, Feb. 11.—In labored English, Maxim Litvinoff, Soviet Commissar for Foreign Affairs, to-day submitted to the World Disarmament Conference the most sweeping proposals of all.

The Soviet Union stood for total disarmament, he declared. In total disarmament lay the only infallible security for peace.

Moving picture camera lights flashed as the Russian took his stand on the tribune. Sound cameras began their record. Delegates crowded back into the hall from the corridors, and the public galleries were filled, for M. Litvinoff was the event of the day.

WOULD ADD ARMY

M. Litvinoff sharply rejected alike schemes for limiting armaments and the French proposal for creating an international police force under the League of Nations. Limitation of armaments was no security against war. The creation of an international force merely would add a new army.

How, M. Litvinoff questioned, could the Soviet Union be expected to confide part of its army to an international organization consisting largely of states openly hostile to it—even to the extent of refusing to maintain normal relations? The workers and peasants of the Soviet Union were more likely to see in an international army created under such conditions, a threat to their country.

M. Litvinoff recalled previous Soviet proposals for the complete destruction of most aggressive types of armaments. These proposals remained in full force for the present conference.

PROPORTIONAL METHOD

"The Soviet delegation," he proceeded, "will recommend the progressive and proportional method as the most impartial and equitable method for reduction of armaments, allowing for facilities and exceptions in favor of weaker countries which are in danger of aggression.

"It will warmly support any proposals approaching or outstripping its own," he went on. "It will support equal rights for all participants in the conference and equal security for all states."

The Soviet Union was ready to disarm to the same extent and at the same rate to which other powers—first and foremost, those actually at its borders—were ready to agree, he said.

BELGIAN DELEGATE SPEAKS

Paul Hymans, Foreign Minister of Belgium, announced the Belgian desire to collaborate in an international understanding for the limitation and reduction of armaments and safeguards of its own security. He doubted whether renunciations of war such as were contained in the Briand-Kellogg Treaty, were in themselves adequate. Belgium was prepared to examine in the widest sense any proposal to League.

Tsurumi States His Shanghai Views

Associated Press

New York, Feb. 11.—China's boycott of Japanese goods was the "sole motivation" of the Shanghai invasion, Yusuke Tsurumi, Japanese Liberal leader, said here yesterday evening. He believed difficulties would be over "when the Canton spirit is broken."

When that occurs, he said, Tokio hopes to effect a "reasonable compromise" with the Nanking Government, though he said he did not believe any faction will get everything it wants.

Tsurumi, fresh from Tokio, for a six-week lecture tour, was saddened at news of the assassination of former Finance Minister Inouye, "one of the last men with whom I talked in Japan."

MANY VACCINATED IN VANCOUVER

Smallpox Cases Now Total Fifteen, Say Health Officials

Canadian Press

Vancouver, Feb. 11.—With one additonal case of smallpox reported in Vancouver yesterday afternoon, the known total in the city this morning was fifteen.

The new case is a man who arrived here four days ago from Winnipeg, and city health authorities say he suffered contact with the disease in the east and not in Vancouver.

The death toll still stands at seven.

Vaccination is continuing in the city and another 700 persons were inoculated against the disease Wednesday evening at the general hospital clinic. Clinics are continuing their daily services from 5 p.m. to 8 p.m. Clinics will be held Friday and Monday in city schools.

Dr. J. W. McIntosh, city health officer, reports 14,500 pints of vaccine arrived in Vancouver yesterday afternoon. Another 30,000 are expected in the city in the next few days.

R.C.M.P. officers have been after Johnson since December 31, when he shot and wounded Constable A. W. King.

REEVE CALLS POLICE TO WATCH REPORTERS AND THEY EAT HUMBUGS

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to keep an eye on us. We have already told the trustees that they are gentlemen whose courtesy to the press enables us to rely on their promise of admission when the teachers depart. We told the trustees not to fear their conference with the teachers would be overheard," one of the reporters said.

"Oh, yeah? Well, the reeve takes no chances," commented the officer as he slipped again into the paper bag.

"What is all this ruckus about, anyway? What makes the reeve want me here? Why do you fellows want to print this pay reduction stuff?" asked the officer as he puffed a cigarette contributed by a reporter. The smoke was a home-made affair, and was not so good at that.

The newspapermen then undertook to instruct the police officer in municipal finance. It was explained that school costs would have to increase about two mills this year, because the teachers' salaries had risen from $81,000 in January, 1930, to $102,220 for this year. The trustees' plan of a 7½ per cent cut, on its face, would appear like $8,000 less to the teachers. In actual fact it saved the municipality less than $1,000 to apply towards increases of more than $16,000 in school costs. The saving of $8,460 made by not paying Victoria for high school tuition was offset by interest and sinking fund charges of the same amount, and the savings made by deferring maintenance costs was more than offset by repayment of a $2,000 overdraft allowed last year.

OFFICER FEELS BETTER

The officer swung his heels and smiled as he commented: "Then we guys may not get cut after all?"

He was solemnly assured that, unless the police commission ate its own words, the chance of a police cut in Saanich was very slender, as the school board could not bring its tax rate down to last year's rate of 12.66 mills, as required by the police commissioner.

The incidence of unemployment, the unwillingness of certain men to take any job offered and the pride of one of the reporters in having discovered a very jewel among rock-breaking workers, whiled away the tedium of another hour.

At 11.45 o'clock, just as the cigarettes, brandyballs, peppermints and conversational subjects were running out, the two reporters were summoned into the conference. They were reproved for publishing information, regarded as not strictly accurate, regarding secret meetings on municipal salary reductions.

The following statement was verbally given for publication:

"A tentative discussion with a delegation of teachers has taken place this evening and this meeting expects to attain an amicable settlement of the uestions at issue very shortly. These questions are all directed towards keeping down the mill rate for schools as far as possible.

"This meeting unanimously censures The Times for publishing an article, not in accord with the facts, regarding the joint meeting of trustees and teachers held on November 9. The board and the teachers will both write to the papers.

"Premature statements which have been published are causing the school board considerable worry, making an amicable decision difficult."

Supplementing the official statement, Trustee Thorpe, as chairman, said he expected the joint meeting to be held this evening would be open to the press. For that reason he considered publication of tentative projects regarding salary reductions unnecessary in the interests of the public.

The reporters started for home at midnight, the constable returned to his beat and Reeve Crouch was safely in bed.

MANY EXECUTED IN SALVADOR

Panama City, Feb. 11.—Letters received here from Salvador to-day said that although the capital, San Salvador, was quiet, a "reign of terror" prevailed in various pueblos throughout the republic following reported communist outbreaks and attempts to suppress them. Mere denunciation as a communist brings summary execution, the letters said. Many missionaries were reported to have been executed.

FAMOUS BRITISH BANDSMAN DIES

Late Col. J. Mackenzie Rogan of Coldstream Guards Known Here

Canadian Press

London, Feb. 11.—Col. John Mackenzie Rogan, C.V.O., the most famous bandmaster in the British Army and well-known all over the empire, died to-day at the age of seventy-six.

He served in the army for fifty-three years. His great-grandfather fought under Marleborough, and his father fought at the Battle of Waterloo.

Col. Mackenzie Rogan was an honorary member of the Royal Academy of Music and honoray director of music for the British Legion. He served with the Devonshire Regiment from 1867, and the Queen's Royal Regiment from 1882 until in 1896 he became bandmaster of the Coldstream Guards. He occupied that post until 1920.

Among many honors accorded him was the honorary degree of doctor of music granted by the University of Toronto in 1907.

Col. Mackenzie Rogan was in charge of the Coldstream Guards Band when it visited Victoria some years ago in the course of a Dominion-wide tour.

VANCOUVER ASKS RELIEF FUNDS

Aldermen Decide to Send Request to B.C. Government For $1,550,000

Vancouver, Feb. 11.—Application for a further $1,550,000 for relief purposes will be made by the Vancouver City Council to the provincial government. This was decided yesterday on a motion of Alderman A. G. Harvey, chairman of the civic relief committee.

Alderman Harvey in his motion drew attention to the fact the city originally had asked for $2,500,000 to meet city relief requirements.

At the request of Senator Gideon Robertson, then Federal Minister of Labor, the city agreed to accept $1,000,000, then and later ask for a further $1,000,000 if necessary.

NON-COMBATANTS LED AWAY WHILE ARTILLERY PREPARES TO BOMBARD

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NEW THREAT

Late yesterday evening there was a threat of hostilities on a new front when Japanese headquarters announced Chinese soldiers had fired on a destroyer off Nantao, on the south side of the International Settlement, while the vessel was tied up at a pier. The Japanese cruiser Tokiwa, anchored in the Whangpoo, subsequently fired on Lungwha, where the Chinese arsenal stands.

The Japanese command said unless such sniping as he described was discontinued, "retaliatory measures would be necessary."

The Chinese authorities denied their man had fired on the destroyer.

Canadian Press and Associated Press

Shanghai, Feb. 11—A truce between the Japanese and Chinese forces to permit evacuation of non-combatants in the Chapei "war" zone will go into effect at 8 a.m. to-morrow (4 this afternoon Victoria time), it was announced to-night by Rear-Admiral Shimada of th Japanese flagship Idzumo to-day.

Both sides agreed to cease all hostilities in the area from 8 o'clock until noon. The truce applies only on a front of a mile and a half along the Shanghai-Woosung railway north from the International Settlement boundary. The march is to be led by thirty foreigners carrying white flags.

The party will start from the foreign settlement and be escorted through the Japanese lines by a Japanese officer. A thorough search will be made of all buildings in the "no man's land" for non-combatant men, women and children and for wounded soldiers.

These will be escorted to safety through the Japanese lines. The belief has been expressed here that many civilians have been trapped in their homes in the Chapei sector since the start of hostilities two weeks ago.

ARRANGED BY PRIEST

A French priest who lost an arm at Verdun in the World War arranged the four-hour truce for to-morrow for the expressed purpose of taking out women, children and wounded from Chapei.

He is Father Jucquinot, head of the College of St. Francis Xavier. He holds the rank of major in the Shanghai Volunteer Corps and wears the Medaille Militare for heroism at Verdun. Father Jacquinot has been on many errands of mercy to Chapei at the risk of his life. He once took out an aged woman who had refused to leave her bullet-torn hovel unless her son came to fetch her. The son was afraid, however, so the priest went in himself.

STOCKS RISE ON U.S. BILL

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indecision, swelled to about 2,700,000 shares.

It was yesterday United States Congressional leaders agreed with President Hoover on a new legislative drive for better times directed at freeing billions of sound securities for active credit use.

The new emergency measure, which it was said would be pushed simultaneously and immediately in the Senate and House, also proposed to make serviceable nearly $1,000,000,000 of the treasury's gold supply not now needed for reserve.

The bill opens the doors of the federal reserve system to new securities held by the banks which are not now eligible for rediscounting, and by this step "frozen credits" may be loosened at once. The legislation is supplementing the $2,000,000,000 Reconstruction Finance Corporation, now going into operation.

By releasing $1,000,000,000 in "free gold" of course the way is opened to an expansion of the currency if it is needed. Financial leaders say this is not needed if $1,500,000,000 in hoarded money is returned to circulation by the people.

POPE AIDS CUBA RELIEF

Santiago, Cuba, Feb. 11.—Pope Pius has sent $10,000 to Archbishop Zubizarreta of Cuba for relief of sufferers in the recent series of earthquakes, it is announced.

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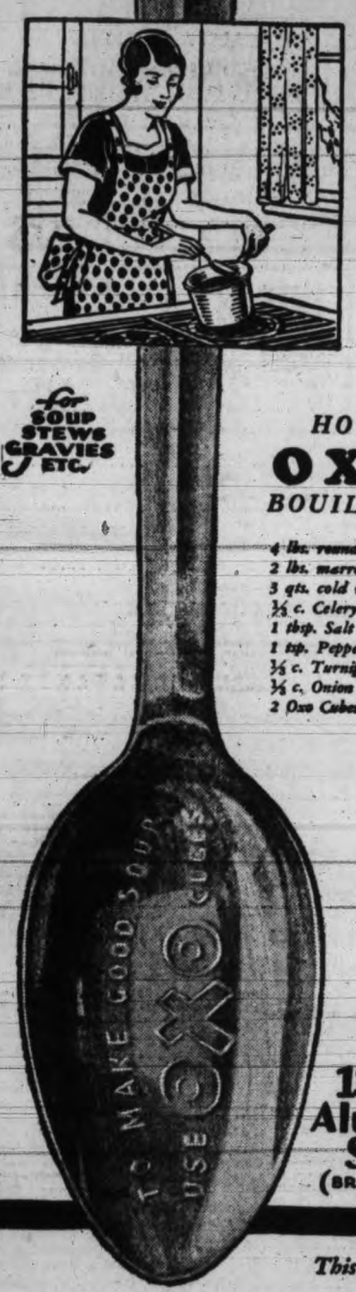

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Relief Fund Board For B.C. Advocated

Mackenzie, Reid and Neill Tell Commons Change From Present Methods Needed

Canadian Press

Ottawa, Feb. 11.—An investigation of the administration of funds assigned to British Columbia under the Unemployment Relief Act, and the establishment of a strong commission of one or more officials to supervise these expenditures in the province, were urged in the Commons yesterday afternoon.

Supervision should be vested in a commission, it was urged by Hon. Ian Mackenzie, Liberal, Vancouver Centre, who charged there had been "gross mismanagement."

Similar demands from other British Columbia Liberals prompted Hon. W. A. Gordon, Minister of Labor, to give a statement of loans made by the Dominion to the Pacific Coast province. A loan of $3,371,664 had been made in November to enable the province to meet maturing obligations in New York, he said. In addition, $2,525,000 had been advanced to British Columbia, pending approval of accounts relating to unemployment works. Both sums were secured by treasury notes of the province, he said.

POSITION OF BURNABY

Administration of British Columbia's unemployment relief funds was criticized yesterday afternoon, first by Thomas Reid, Liberal, New Westminster. He said men in Burnaby municipality had not been paid for work done under the scheme, due to an argument between Ottawa and Victoria over accounts.

There was no money in Burnaby to pay teachers, the police department and others, said Mr. Reid. Cash was wanted, not promises. The Dominion government had told the municipality large sums of money had been sent to the province of British Columbia for relief work and to look to the province. The British Columbia government had suggested it was awaiting money from Ottawa. The banks, Mr. Reid said, would not make any further advances and many workers were out of employment.

The two governments were "passing the buck" in the delay, said Mr. Reid.

Mr. Mackenzie said similar conditions existed in Vancouver and other parts of the province.

A. W. Neill, Independent, Comox-Alberni, urged appointment of a commission to administer relief work in British Columbia.

CERTIFICATES DELAYED

No delay in rendering and paying accounts had taken place in Ottawa, said Mr. Gordon, Labor Minister. There had been "considerable delay" by Victoria in forwarding certificates to Ottawa and it had been necessary for the Dominion to make advances to British Columbia before vouchers were rendered.

TARIFF BILL IS INTRODUCED

First Reading Given Ten Per Cent Measure By British Commons

London, Feb. 11.—The Trade Bill, designed to establish a general 10 per cent tariff on imports to Great Britain was introduced in the Commons yesterday evening in "dummy" form and given first reading, after the government had disposed of two Labor amendments which would have limited operation of duties to one year and placed all foodstuffs on the free list.

The first Labor amendment to limit operation of the tariff to one year was rejected by a vote of 345 to 62, and the second, demanding exemption of foodstuffs from taxation, was voted down by 265 to 6.

The bill was then introduced by Rt. Hon. Neville Chamberlain and given first reading. Exact contents were still unknown, when the debate ended.

The British Commons last Tuesday, by a vote of 430 to 73, adopted a resolution empowering the government to appoint a special tariff commission to consider imposition of duties additional to the proposed general 10 per cent.

Mr. Runciman, president of the Board of Trade, in a speech, expressed some anxiety on the part of those in charge of the national finance that a continued movement of capital away from Great Britain was still in evidence

BALANCES SHRINK

"There is a constant drift of capital out of this country and a reduction of deposits here," Mr. Runciman declared. "Every week French balances are going down in the city of London."

Affirming the pound still was worth 20 shillings within Great Britain, the president of the Board of Trade pointed to the danger of a fall in sterling abroad.

"If the purchasing power of the pound were to fall to $3 or $2.50," he said, "it would be doubling the cost of food coming from abroad.

"To take the chance it won't reach that depth would be gambling with the food of the people and I am not prepared to take that risk. We cannot let these matters correct themselves. We haven't time.

"We dare not and we will not wait. It is easy to be doctrinaire when you have no need to act, but prompt action is our most urgent and earnest need."

The proposed 10 per cent tariff, Mr. Runciman continued, would not lead to reorganization of British industries and "it won't wash clothes either," he added amid laughter, "but we hope it will provide nearly £30,000,000 (normally about $150,000,000) of revenue without doing any undue harm to the country."

The situation in the Far East was a new and unexpected source of expense, Mr. Runciman said, explaining that it already had cost a great amount of money and that the end was not in sight.

In this connection Rt. Hon. George Lansbury, Labor leader, renewed his agitation for a stronger hand in the Orient, demanding whether there was no power in the world "to persuade the Japanese to use some other part of China than Shanghai to conduct its operations."

Rt. Hon. Stanley Baldwin, Lord President of the Council, assured him the powers were doing everything they could to bring peace out of "one of the most difficult situations that has existed in the east."

INSURANCE BILL BEFORE SENATE

Measure Designed to Clarify Dominion and Provincial Rights

Canadian Press

Ottawa, Feb. 11—The long fight over the question of provincial rights is involved in the bill regarding the status of British and foreign insurance companies introduced in the Senate yesterday.

This bill is the first of two measures which are being brought before Parliament this session to cure weaknesses in the Dominion Insurance Act created by the decision of the Privy Council in London last October. A second bill will be introduced later to deal with the status and powers of Dominion insurance companies. The first bill has already had its first reading.

Licensing of British and foreign insurance companies is dealt with in the first bill. A section reasserts the control of the Dominion authorities over British and foreign companies, but makes certain exceptions in regard to unlicensed companies. The bill contains no provisions as to conditions in life insurance policies such as were provided in the old act.

RIGHTS OF PROVINCES

The question of provincial rights is dealt with in the last section of the bill, which reads as follows:

"No provision of this act shall be deemed or construed to have been made with the intent of regulating the contracts or other incidents of the business of insurance as such in any province or of otherwise dealing with subject matters of legislation assigned exclusively to the Legislatures of the provinces; and in so far as any provision of this act may hereafter be determined to have any operation or effect beyond the legislative competence of the Parliament of Canada to authorize and sanction, and to be in that respect void and inoperative, it shall be treated as severable from the other provisions of this act and such other provisions shall continue to have full force and effect according to their tenor."

Canton Planes Are Sent to Shanghai

Hongkong, Feb. 11.—Nine Cantonese airplanes left here for Shanghai today to join the Chinese air force there.

Hongkong Chinese also subscribed liberally to funds for refuge relief and war purposes. Chinese clerks contributed 10 per cent of their monthly salaries.

The Chinese press said reinforcements from Kwangsi Province for the Chinese army at Shanghai had reached southern Hunan on their way there.

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River Flood At Phoenix, Arizona

Associated Press

Phoenix, Ariz., Feb. 11—The Salt River, fed by flood waters of the Verde River, left its banks on the outskirts of Phoenix late yesterday and inundated dance pavilions and amusement centres clustered there.

More than 100 persons living in tiny shacks along the river edge fled for their lives as the muddy waters crept into their yards. A few minutes later the little habitations bobbed away on the crest of the flood.

Three unidentified white men were marooned on a small island in midstream near the Seventh Street crossing. Efforts to launch a rowboat to bring them to the mainland were defeated for a time by the raging current.

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SNOWCAP MINCED CLAMS Selected White, ½s, tin 14c
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BANK MESSENGERS FREED OF BONDS

Quebec, Feb. 11.—Theodore Meighen, son of Senator Arthur Meighen, appeared yesterday before the public bills committee of the Quebec Legislative Asembly and won a victory for the Canadian Bankers' Association.

He said the association was sure the government had never intended in a bill calling for a $5,000 bond on collection agents, that this should apply to bank agents collecting on notes, etc. He asked such bank agents be excluded.

"I think your proposal is fair," replied Premier L. A. Taschereau.

A report to that effect was made and the necessary change made in the bill.

POLICE GAZETTE HAS HOLIDAY

New York, Feb. 11.—The Police Gazette, which for eighty-five years has appeared regularly on Saturdays, will miss its visit to the newstands this week while creditors study its finances.

Alfred S. Kochmann, president, said: "If we are able to we shall resume publication with the February 20 issue."

TO RETURN TO SHANGHAI

Manila, Feb. 11.—Sir Victor Sassoon, British banker, arriving in Manila today from Shanghai, expressed the belief fighting between the Chinese and Japanese in that city would continue indefinitely, but he felt danger to the International Settlement was past. He plans to return after a week to Shanghai, where he is head of large banking interests.

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RADIO BROADCASTING

THE CHIEF RECOMMENDATIONS OF the royal commission on radio broadcasting which, under the chairmanship of Sir John Aird, was appointed in 1928 and reported to the government at Ottawa in 1929, were: That all broadcasting stations in Canada be owned and operated by a private company under government control; that a provincial radio broadcasting director be appointed for each province; that high power stations be erected across Canada to give good reception over the entire settled area of the country during daylight; that the nucleus of the system be seven 50,000 watt stations; that supplementary stations of lower power be erected in local areas not effectively covered by the main stations, if found necessary; that compensation be allowed owners of existing stations for apparatus in use as may be decided by the Minister of Marine and Fisheries; that expenditure for the operation and maintenance of the proposed service be met out of revenue produced by license fees, rental of time on stations for programmes employing indirect advertising, and a subsidy from the Dominion government; that the programmes should be subject to specific regulations.

The principal objections to these recommendations came from opponents of government control of public utilities, interests now controlling private stations and others who some day hope to engage in this enterprise. It was inevitable that some would contend that under government control efficient operation would be impossible. This, of course, is the ancient stock argument used by all opponents of government control of utilities and is directed against most governmental activities with the exception of government itself or some government policy which might benefit some influential minority special privilege. It would be just as pertinent in application to governmental control of the post office, telegraph, public works, army and navy or railway commission, as it is to broadcasting, which, according to the commission's recommendation, would not be operated by the government itself but by a private company under government control. Apart from all this, however, the fearful mess private enterprise has made of almost everything it has touched in the last three years in itself is enough to put these opponents of government control out of court.

Scarcely less specious is the objection that under government control a national service would be used as an instrument for the circulation of political party propaganda. Just what is meant by propaganda in this objection is not altogether clear. Obviously, political speeches would be permitted, as long as the speakers paid the prescribed rates and there was no discrimination between parties. These, of course, would be good, bad and indifferent, as they are now, but nobody would be compelled to listen to them. Even the worst of them would be more tolerable than the muck which comes over the air now from many private stations, and which as time goes by will be much worse unless there is some authoritative control of this business. Incidentally, the fact that broadcasting would be under nationalized control if the commission's recommendation were adopted, would impose upon the company in charge of the system a responsibility for good service, free from objectionable features, which no privately controlled system assumes, and the regulations that would be laid down would assure satisfactory programmes. If they did not there would be a reaction from the public which could not be ignored.

The most valid objection to the recommendations of the commission has to do with the cost of operating a nation-wide system under government control. That aspect of the matter naturally is of more pressing importance now than it was three years ago when the commission's report was submitted. But there would be very substantial revenues. The receipts from the 600,000 radio licenses alone would finance a heavy capital expenditure, while there would be a large income from other sources. This phase of the subject was carefully and conservatively investigated by the commission, whose chairman is one of Canada's foremost financial authorities. A government subsidy would be necessary, but if it would enable us to escape the nauseating rubbish, so much of which now pollutes the ether—the crude buffoonry, the Senegambian crooning, the scandalmongering and what not—a generous subsidy would be a good investment.

The broadcasting situation in Canada should be viewed from the standpoint of public welfare and in an atmosphere free from narrow prejudice. That welfare certainly would be promoted by the development of a purely Canadian broadcasting service, independent of foreign control, which would draw upon Canadian talent under many heads for its programmes. We can not conceive of any agency which would more promptly and effectively impress upon our public an adequate appreciation of the contributions Canada is making to world progress in art, literature and science, concerning which, by the way, the average Canadian knows little, although he is being very thoroughly informed daily of the contributions made in that direction by our big neighbor. Indeed, we think we can regard a system such as has been recommended by the commission as indispensable to the promotion of a sound, enlightened Canadian national spirit.

NOT A FAIR PICTURE

THERE WILL BE NO DISPOSITION TO quarrel with Mr. Bennett when he says that "conditions in Canada are better than in any other country in the world." As Canadians look around them and contemplate conditions in the rich republic on the south and in some of the European countries they may well consider themselves fortunate. But we disagree entirely with the Prime Minister's defence of the achievements of his government's tariff policy.

Mr. Bennett told the House of Commons that this policy had been responsible for reducing an adverse trade balance of $90,000,000 in the fiscal year ended with March 31, 1930, to one of less than $10,000,000. In the last month, moreover, the adverse margin had been reduced by another five millions of dollars. And the Prime Minister expects that by the end of the fiscal year—March 31—the difference will be wiped out altogether.

Like some newspapers which support him and his government's policies, the Prime Minister obviously found it inconvenient to refer to the other side of the story. In the report of his speech which appeared in the morning paper there is no mention of the volume of trade which Canada was doing with the rest of the world in the fiscal year in which he reports a balance on the wrong side of $90,000,000. In that year the value of our export and import trade amounted to no less than $2,493,211,652. In the year ending last November, the value was only $1,279,224,267. Here is a decline in this short time in the total trade of the country of no less than $1,113,987,385.

The Times does not pretend to know what school of economics would proclaim with pride that a trade amounting to $2,493,211,652, with an adverse balance of $90,000,000, is of less advantage to a country than a trade amounting to $1,113,987,385, with an adverse balance of $10,000,000. If such a theory would hold water at all, unemployment now would be considerably less than it was at the end of the fiscal year in 1930. But unemployment, as official statistics show, is at least three times as great now.

THAT WAS THE BARGAIN

IT IS ALL VERY WELL FOR THE MORE enthusiastic friends of Britain's National Government to come down on the head of Sir Herbert Samuel because he does not believe the tariff policy about to be inaugurated is in the best interests of the country.

When the cabinet as a whole departed so completely from recognized constitutional procedure and agreed not to differ, but to stick together as a ministry in the interests of national unity, one of the provisions of the bargain was that Free Trade members of the government could speak and vote against the measure, such course not requiring them to resign their respective ministerial posts.

Back-bench Conservatives are reported to be wild with Sir Herbert because he has followed out the arrangement and has taken "the liberty to speak out and not mumble." It is true, of course, the situation is a most extraordinary one and is not likely to last for any length of time. But a bargain is a bargain, no matter how much it may conflict with ministerial responsibility or how much it may jeopardize ministerial harmony, and that is what Sir Herbert's critics should remember.

After all, the members of the present government and the British public will not have many months to wait to learn if the most practical interpretation is being given to the "Doctor's Mandate" for which Premier MacDonald asked and got. Sir Herbert Samuel may be right in his views, notwithstanding the changed circumstances of the country's trade—and, then again, he may be proven quite wrong.

THE VALUE OF PLANES

NEWS THAT ARMY BOMBING PLANES from March Field, California, recently took to the air to drop supplies of food and clothing to snow-bound Navajo Indians in the Arizona mountains brings up two rather interesting points for speculation.

First, how long would the numerous Indian uprisings of the last century have lasted if the army of those days had possessed airplanes? One good scouting plane would have saved Custer from ambush along the Little Big Horn, for example; one squadron of bombers would have routed the strongest Indian force ever put together.

In the second place, one is forced to admit that the army's relations with the Indian tribesmen has changed greatly of late. The bombing airplanes seek out the Indians—to drop necessities, not bombs! Truly, the situation in the Indian country is not what it used to be!

WHAT PLOT IS THIS?

IT IS BEING SUGGESTED IN LONDON that it takes $1,500,000,000 a year to keep British women well dressed, and that for a century or more vast sums have gone to swell the profits of the Paris fashion houses. But all this is soon to be altered. In the future—or at least that is the fond hope—British fashions are to rule in Britain.

Behind this is a commendable spirit of enterprise on the part of the British textile trade. Not only do the textile manufacturers and the dress designers hope to capture the market which France has enjoyed to such an extent for so long; they hope to carry the "frills and flounces war over the Channel and fight Paris in neutral countries as well."

There may be more in this than meets the eye. Are the dress designers and textile manufacturers "going into a huddle" with the object of getting women to wear a little more than they do now and still be stylishly dressed? That may be part of the plan; but save them from the leg-of-mutton sleeves and the trailing skirts of the "gay nineties!"

WHAT OTHER PAPERS SAY

SIMPLE MEDICAL TERMS

The New York Herald Tribune

The reclassification of the diseases and ailments of the human body according to cause and organ affected, with a strongly pronounced preference for English nomenclature, undertaken by the National Conference on Nomenclature of Diseases recently held at the New York Academy of Medicine, is a project which can scarcely fail to commend itself alike to medical authorities and the public, whose health is in their keeping. The list, which is to be printed by the United States Public Health Service within the next two months, will constitute an entirely new catalogue of diagnostic titles, according to Dr. H. Burton Logie, executive secretary of the conference, in which "English terms in good English usage are to be employed whenever possible."

A THOUGHT

Violence shall no more be heard in thy land, wasting nor destruction within thy borders; but thou shall call thy walls salvation and thy gates praise.—Isaiah lx 18.

It is some compensation for great evils that they enforce great lessons.—Bovee.

Loose Ends

An oculist cures this column—leaving it blinder than ever—there is room for rejoicing, however—and a strange thing happens to the little boy next door.

By H. B. W.

THE OTHER day I told you, I think, about the time I have with the editors and the proof readers. Well, I'm getting even on them to-day. They won't be able to make a thing out of this copy, and I have no doubt that the legend about a poor, mad proof reader kept secretly upstairs to read my copy will be quite true by to-night. You see, I can't see. I've been to an oculist to-day, and oculists have the oddest sense of humor. In my young days when you went to an oculist to get a pair of glasses they made you read a few letters on a card and that was all. But since oculists became scientific it is a very different matter. They put little yellow tablets in your eyes, and after a while you can't see anything up close. Then, of course, the oculist is at a great advantage over you. He has you in his power. He can do anything he likes with a poor blind man. You can't even read his bill.

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WHEN YOU go out afterwards you find yourself staggering across the street as one inebriated and your friends refuse to know you. You are easy prey then for street cars and motorists. The idea seems to be that they will complete your cure. Modern science is truly wonderful.

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WELL, I'M still blind at close range. I haven't the remotest idea what I'm writing now. Indeed, the room is quite dark and I am watching the pale sunset over the hills. Heaven knows what this typewriter is doing since I turned it loose, but no doubt it is pretty bad. When I take this copy in to-morrow it is going to be a good joke on the typesetters, and if they set it as is, it is going to be a good joke on you. Meanwhile, I assure you it is the oddest feeling plunging along on the keys without the slightest notion of what you are talking about. You may think I would have become accustomed to that long ago. True, it doesn't matter in an intellectual sense, but when it becomes physical, it is serious, at least for the poor typesetters.

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WHY DON'T you," someone asked me the other day, "write something to cheer people up?" I confess I don't see why it should be necessary. People who read this column must be intelligent, or they wouldn't read it, and they couldn't remain long unintelligent after reading it anyway. And intelligent people in this place at this time don't need me to cheer them up. They have only to look abroad at every other place to realize how well off they are. They have only to contemplate the rest of the world to become almost hilarious with good cheer. But in case you haven't looked abroad to-day, just pause for a moment and consider where you might be at this time if you hadn't been lucky enough to be here. Thus:

China—Invaded in north and south, bombarded, massacred and broke.

Japan—Business crippled by the Chinese boycott, the yen seriously depreciated, the army running the whole show.

South America—Interest on $850,000,000 government and municipal bonds has been defaulted.

Spain—Strikes and riots throughout the new republic have killed some fifty citizens and a number of police.

India—Riots and police raids, extraordinary penalties for civil disobedience, suspension of many of the ordinary legal rights of citizens and Mr. Gandhi, squatting in Yerovda Jail, spinning 500 yards of yarn a day.

The United States—Seven or eight million men out of work, a federal government deficit of about two billions, scores of bank failures, the three largest cities in grave financial difficulties, two of them, Philadelphia and Chicago, unable to pay civic salaries. Mooney and Billings still in jail in California, though the Wickersham Commission has found that they were improperly imprisoned in 1916.

Germany—Chancellor Bruening and President Hindenburg running the country by decree from day to day, expecting a revolution any minute.

Austria—On the verge of ruin, no one allowed to take any money out of the country, no prospect of anything better.

Holland—Treasury in grave difficulties, serious strikes and riots and Queen Wilhelmina giving an exhibition of her own paintings to raise funds for charity.

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AND SO ON. If you know any place where you would be better off than right here, I suggest you go there, for I am confident you will come back on the next train. It could be a lot better here; it would be a lot better if we used our heads occasionally, but our natural advantages still outweigh our natural disabilities.

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FRAGMENT FROM the diary of the little boy next door: My mother, who I suppose can't be expected to understand men's tastes, brought me home a present to-day. It was a silly thing, a kind of red celluloid rattle on the end of a stick; and it seemed all the more absurd beside the thing she brought my little sister. I'm not just sure what she brought my little sister. It was a kind of white thing with a round knob at one end and a white stick on it. Anyway, when my sister dipped it into a bowl of soapy water and blew hard through the stick a funny, round, shiny thing came out of the hole in the knob. If she kept puffig and puffing until her face got redder than ever, the round, shiny thing got bigger and bigger and then it just floated off in the air.

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REALLY, THE round shiny things are the jolliest things I've seen yet. They have the funniest colors you ever saw, and you can see your face in them. But most surprising of all, when one of them came sailing my way and hit me on the face it busted, and then all my face was wet for no reason at all. I guess the round things must have water inside them, but I don't see how it got there. Well, it annoyed me to see my sister with such a jolly plaything, and you may be sure I let them know it. I banged my new rattle on the tray of my high chair as hard as I could and I talked to them about it, too; but they are stupid at my house, they don't understand my language very well.

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ONE OF THEM gathered what I meant after a while, though, and they let me blow into the white stick with the knob on the end. I blew and blew, but nothing came out of it; but when I sucked the end of the white stick suddenly some water came pouring out of it and it had the vilest taste I ever tasted. So I threw the stick with the knob on it as hard as I could, and it fell on the floor and broke in two. That made my sister cry awfully hard, but my mummy said she would get her another one. I tried to tell her to get me one, too, but without the vile taste to it, but nobody understood me. They just kept handing me back the rattle, and after a while I got tired of throwing it on the floor. These women don't seem to understand us men.

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The Pacific Steam Whaling Company expect the arrival to-morrow or Wednesday of the steam whaler St. Lawrence, the latter vessel having been reported clearing from San Diego, her last coaling point, some days ago.

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The dredge King Edward will commence the operation of filling in the James Bay flats on Wednesday afternoon. The dredge is at present awaiting the arrival of the tugs Restless and Dauntless, coming from New Westminster with pontoons and scows These are expected to reach Victoria this evening.

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The fine weather of the past few days has brought an added impetus to the activity on the real estate market. Daily numerous transactions are recorded and the general trend of events point to an increasing interest, and, if possible, a growing buoyancy both in the demand for and the values of Victoria realty.

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Premier McBride returned to his office in the Parliament Buildings today feeling much stronger, but still far from normal. The severe weather during a part of the election resulted in his contracting a severe cold, which settled on his chest and has given considerable trouble. Using a native son's expression, Hon. Mr. McBride says he is not yet feeling "skookum."

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Weather Forecast—Victoria and vicinity: Light to moderate winds, generally fair, with fog, not much change in temperature.

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The northern liner Camosum of the Union Steamship Company has reached Vancouver from northern British Columbia ports with forty passengers and 3,500 cases of salmon from Rivers Inlet.

OTTAWA TRIAL BRINGS SENTENCE

Ottawa, Feb. 11.—After deliberating nine hours and twenty minutes, an Ontario assize jury yesterday evening found J. D. Geo. Bouchard, former Civil Service Commission examiner, guilty on the first of twenty-two counts in the indictment charging him with fraud and breach of public trust. He was sentenced to one year in Ontario Reformatory by Mr. Justice G. H. Sedgewick.

Disagreement was reported by the jurors on the other twenty-one counts. The verdict brought to a close a twenty-one-day trial, longest in the history of the local assizes. The jury had been locked up for twenty-three nights, a record for Ontario.

The count on which Bouchard was found guilty charged he had changed the examination papers of Leopold Chartrand, son of Wenceslas Chartrand of Montreal. The latter admitted on the stand he was a member of the "job ring." In this instance no money changed hands for changing of the papers, it was testified.

The remaining twenty-one counts, all concerning other candidates who alleged they paid money to be passed, were traversed to the next assizes. There are also nine other charges of uttering forged documents, conspiracy, forgery, fraud and breach of trust. These also were traversed.

INDIAN SPEAKER HERE FEBRUARY 23

Abdullah Yusuf Ali, C.B.E., who is in Canada in the course of a speaking tour under the auspices of the National Council of Education, will address a public meeting here on Tuesday evening, February 23, not February 16 as inadvertently announced. Mr. Ali, who is a Cambridge M.A., and a retired Indian civil servant, will speak of conditions in India from the point of view of the Mohammedan.

YOUNG JOBLESS VISIT POOLEY

Attorney-General Flatly Declines to See Communists' Spokesman

Other Delegates Present Claim For Four-dollar-day Relief Wage

Spokesmen for a body of local unemployed, about seventy-five strong and composed chiefly of youths, in an interview with Attorney-General R. H. Pooley yesterday afternoon, asked for a $4 a day wage on relief work, and lodged a complaint against one of the officials connected with relief here.

Following the meeting with the Attorney-General, the delegates made arrangements to meet Hon. W. A. McKenzie, chairman of the unemployment committee, later in the week.

The men paraded across the Causeway from a vacant lot on Blanshard Street before sending their two spokesmen to see Mr. Pooley. The parade was orderly throughout.

One delegate chosen by the group was flatly refused an audience by Mr. Pooley on the grounds that as a member of a Communist organization, he was with the unemployed for no good reason but to cause agitation. No man openly professing Communist convictions would be admitted, Mr. Pooley said.

REFUSE TO JOIN TRUSTEES' BODY

B.C. Association Is Criticized By Members of School Board

Criticism of the B.C. School Trustees' Association as "farcical" and of no benefit to the civic board was voiced at the meeting of the Victoria School Board yesterday evening when the local trustees again decided not to join the association.

Trustee W. C. Moresby, K.C., led the attack against the association, declaring that fees spent for membership would be a waste of money. He was opposed in this view by Trustee J. L. Beckwith, who moved that the Victoria board join the organization. His motion, seconded by Trustee J. E George, was defeated on a vote of four to two. Trustees V. Emery, J. M. Campbell and T. B. Monk voted with Mr. Moresby.

Trustee Beckwith said the Victoria board could gain considerably from membership in the association and would also help other member boards. Trustee George declared that co-operation among all school boards was a thing to be keenly desired at this time.

Trustee Moresby said the $50 fee would be money wasted. The association's sessions were marked by continual bickering and most of the business done was mainly for the benefit of rural municipalities. The cities had their own problems. Trustee Beckwith did not agree with this view and maintained the sessions were amiable.

Dadds Move Fails To Gain Freedom

The appeal by way of habeas corpus to upset the sentence of six months hard labor of Alfred Dadds on a charge of selling liquor without a license, has failed.

"It is objected that for lack of detail in describing a previous conviction, the jurisdiction of the police magistrate is not shown on the face of the warrant," said Mr. Justice McDonald of the Supreme Court, in his his judgment just transmitted from Vancouver. "Clearly, of course, such jurisdiction must appear as nothing shall be intended to be within the jurisdiction of an inferior court, but that which is so expressly alleged.

"The warrant is not aptly worded. Counsel for the appellant alleges that it must be read to mean that the previous offence occurred on July 2, 1927, whereas counsel for the Crown, H. W. R. Moore, contends the meaning to be that the previous conviction took place on that date. The question being open to argument, I was impressed on the hearing with the idea that the details of the previous offence were so indefinitely stated that the conviction could not stand. Upon reflection, however, I think that is not so. Therefore the application must be dismissed.

"There is sufficient stated in the warrant to give a magistrate jurisdiction to convict for a second offence, namely, the fact of a conviction for a previous offence against the same act."

Mr. Dadds has been out on bail while the application has been under consideration.

Stuart Henderson and E. V. Finland presented the appeal.

INSPECTOR GETS A NEW HEATER

Municipal School Inspector George H. Deane is warm again. During the recent cold spell his office in the School Board Building, became so frigid that an "SOS" call was sent in for more heat and he was supplied with a gas heater to replace a troublesome electric contrivance, it was revealed when the board of trustees yesterday evening authorized the expenditure of about $60 which was necessary. Trustee J. L. Beckwith explained to the board how the penetrating north wind had struck with an icy blast on the inspector's window, making more heat essential.

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Washington, Feb. 11.—The House judiciary committee yesterday voted to discontinue further consideration of the Patman impeachment charges against Andrew W. Mellon. Chairman Summers announced the committee agreed unanimously that in view of Mr Mellon's appointment as Ambassador to Great Britain there was nothing to justify further proceedings.

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T-bone Steaks, lb. 20¢; Sirloin Steaks, lb. ....20¢
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Rump Roasts, lb. 20¢; Sirloin Tip Roasts, lb....22¢
Sirloin Steaks, lb. 23¢; T-bone Steaks, lb. ....23¢
Beef Liver, lb. 13¢; Round Steak, lb. ....18¢

Loins and Fillets Grain-fed Pork
Fillet Roasts, lb. 17¢; Centre-cut Loins, lb. ....17¢
Pork Tenderloins, lb. 30¢; Centre Loin Chops, lb....17¢

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Tomato Juice, Orchard City, 1s, 5 tins ....25¢
Pork and Beans, Libby's, 2s, 2 tins ....16¢
Tomato Ketchup, Heinz, per bottle ....21¢
Orange Marmalade, Empress, 40-oz. jar ....25¢
Pears in syrup, Burford, 2s, 2 tins ....21¢
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Mr. and Mrs. A. Munro, North Road, entertained with a bridge on Saturday evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. P. Johnson of Prince Rupert, who are visiting in Victoria. Prizes were won by Mrs. Johnson and Mr. Miller, and consolation prizes went to Mrs. Miller and Mr. Davies. The guests included: Mr. and Mrs. P. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. D. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. J. Davies, Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Simpson and Miss Margaret Munro.

Eight tables of cards were in play at the regular 500 party of the Strawberry Vale Women's Institute on Monday evening. Prize winners were: First, Mrs. Humphries and J. Gregory; second, Mr. D. A. Harris and R. Ward; third, Miss Violet Rodman and R. Watson. Mrs. Humphries was convener and was assisted by ladies of the institute.

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SCHOOL BOARD ESTIMATES UP

But Salary Cuts For Teachers Not Decided Yet and Figures Not Final

Slice in Government Grant and Lack of Revenue From Saanich Hits Budget.

With the question of teachers' salary cutting unsettled, the first draft of the School Board estimates will go to the City Council next Monday showing an increase amounting to nearly one-third of a mill over last year, it became evident after the meeting of the trustees yesterday evening.

The board held a conference behind closed doors yesterday evening with the executive of the Victoria and District Teachers' Association to discuss salary cuts but a decision probably will not be reached until the City Council makes more specific its intentions regarding cutting of the employees under its control.

A straight 10 per cent cut in teachers' salaries has been proposed, it is understood, but since the board has an agreement with the teachers on salaries which is in force until June 30, nothing can be done except by mutual consent. The teachers have shown every willingness to co-operate with the board, it is stated.

If a 10 per cent cut were effected through the teaching staffs, the increase now standing in the board's budget would be wiped out and a reduction of a few thousand dollars made. Cuts on a graduating scale have also been proposed.

MATERIAL REDUCTIONS

The tentative general estimates of the board, exclusive of salaries, have been reduced materially during the two private sessions held to debate the appropriations, figures secured yesterday evening show. Reductions in revenues, caused mainly through the slicing of the government grant for teachers' salaries, leaves the board with a sum approximately $11,000 greater than that levied for last year, however.

Preliminary figures set the total estimated expenditure for 1932 at $615,837.04, as compared with $632,670.04 in 1931. Deducted from this is the estimated revenue of $138,300, which compares with last year's actual revenue of $164,682.97. On the first complete draft, this leaves $477,537.04 to be collected by taxation, as against $465,521.04 last year.

FIGURES KEPT DOWN

In attacking the budget with its economy plan, the board has estimated for a cut of more than $4,000 in the buildings and grounds acount from actual expenditure of last year. It has also cut the furniture appropriation by 25 per cent from the 1931 expenses, while in practically all other directions the figures are below those of 1931.

In the following table the first column shows actual expenditures in 1931 and the second column the estimates for 1932:

	1931	1932
Janitors' salaries	$ 31,624	$ 31,862
Janitor's supplies	2,772	2,500
Cool, wood, etc.	12,102	13,000
Light, power, etc	6,800	6,800
Water	2,714	3,000
Educational supplies.	8,727	7,000
Furniture, apparatus.	2,741	2,000
Reference books	686	500
Supplies and Expenses		
Manual training	997	800
Household economics	1,301	1,000
Technical	2,277	2,000
Night schools	2,302	1,500
Medical and dental	194	175
Office	466	500
Sundry services	8,424	7,500
Insurance	1,580	2,200
Building and grounds	25,568	21,000
Salaries		
Teachers	388,776	383,340
Night school	8,829	8,500
Medical and dental	12,508	11,680
Buildings and grounds	7,860	7,860
Office, etc	8,769	8,770
Superannuation	2,994	3,000
Interest, sinking fund	88,850	88,850
Totals	$629,769	$615,837

REVENUES

Following shows the revenues for 1931 in the first column and the estimate for 1932 in the second column:

	1931	1932
Provincial Grants		
Teachers' salaries	$112,751	$101,000
Night schools	4,001	3,500
Sundry	3,964	3,000
Fees		
Night schools	3,258	3,000
High School college)	584	500
Victoria College	24,208	22,000
Victoria High	1,330	2,000
Sales of Material		
Manual training	209	200
Household economics.	453	400
Night schools	152	100
Technical	704	700
High school	142	100
Non-resident High School Fees		
Saanich	8,460	nil
Others	858	600
Saanich (by judgm't)	1,293	nil
Rentals, etc	1,243	1,200
Sundry donations	662	nil
Totals	$164,682	$138,300

It will be noted in the revenues that the city loses nearly $6,500 this year through the elimination of Saanich students from attendance at the High School.

SHELTER FOR WORKLESS SOON

Good Progress Being Made Committee Reports

The Citizens' Shelter Committee reports good progress with its project to provide a warm, dry room with reading tables and a writing room for the use of the unemployed or any citizen who has a little time to spare, and wishes to get off the streets. The location is central, in the former office of the B.C. Telephone Company at Fort and Langley. As this will benefit any or all the people who desire to take advantage an appeal is made for general support.

The committee wishes to acknowledge donations of lumber for tables from Lemon and Gonnason and Shawnigan Lake Lumber Company. Trucking of lumber by Dowell Cartage Company, nails and paint from B.C. Hardware Company, and the United Brotherhood of Carpenters for work done in making tables and moving fixtures.

The budget for six months requires $1,500. The public is asked to send subscriptions to R. F. Taylor, 117 Belmont Building, honorary treasurer, or to the office of either of the daily papers. The fund now stands, previously acknowledged, $101.50.

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Baby Crocodiles Are Stuffed As Toys In Sumatra

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Sprawled across the dresser, with its gasping mouth and sword-like teeth grinning defiance, a lifelike baby crocodile caused the reporter to involuntary pause at the cabin door of Edmund S. Pisarski, Standard Oil construction engineer of Baltimore, on board the Ss. President Jefferson, when the ship docked here Tuesday from the Far East.

"That's all right. It was alive once, but it is stuffed now and quite harmless," laughingly exclaimed Mr. Pisarski, who was engaged in packing before going ashore. "The kids in Sumatra are in the habit of playing with crocks like that. Is it not a fine specimen of the taxidermist's art?"

The baby crocodile measured about two feet long and seemed all head and mouth, with bulging eyes, squat feet and curled tail.

"Handsome little beast, don't you think? remarked the traveler from the Dutch East Indies as he picked it up and tossed it into a grip with his shoes.

"Lots of those fellows, where I come from, only much bigger and more dangerous," he observed. "His haunts, up to a short time ago, were at the junction of Mosel and Kamering rivers at Soengei-gerong, in South Sumatra. The rivers at Soengei-gerong, which find an outlet in the Indian Ocean, are infested with crocodiles.

CRAWL OVER COMPOUND

"They used to crawl all over the compound at night and they are not the most amiable of companions," continued Mr. Pisarski. "One snap of the powerful jaws of these creatures, and it would be just too bad for the human caught in the trap, that's all."

Crocodile hunting proves to be good sport when excitement is craved by the whites in the Sumatran jungles. With its protective armor it is difficult to shoot and it is always ready to accept the gauge of battle. The average length of the full-grown crocodile is over ten feet. The only shot that is sure of killing, is between the eyes. It is difficult to induce the natives to go on a crocodile hunt, says Mr. Pisarski, as they are very superstitious and fear vengeance if implicated in the kill.

Crocodile, alligator and lizard skins formed a considerable part of Mr. Pisarski's baggage. They are used extensively in the manufacture of ladies' handbags and fancy shoes.

Mr. Pisarski has been supervising the construction, since 1929, of a $25,000,000 oil refining plant for the Netherlands Colonial Petroleum Corporation. The wax plant alone cost $7,000,000 to complete. Other big oil development is planned in the Palembang area.

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Pay Off Mortgage On Fulford Hall

Ganges, Feb. 11.—The members of the Women's Institute, South Salt Spring Island, gave a successful dance on Saturday evening in the Institute Hall at Fulford Harbor, to celebrate the paying off of the mortgage of $1,500 on the building. About a hundred were present, who enjoyed dancing to the music of Black Bros.' orchestra.

During the evening, at the request of the president, Mrs. R. Maxwell, Mr. Tweedhope explained the history of the building of the hall and of the hard work the members of the institute had done to raise the funds to clear it of debt and made touching reference to the memory of one of the chief instigators of the building, the late James Horel. He then proceeded to burn the mortgage deeds amid hearty cheers. After supper dancing was kept up until 1.15 a.m.

Luxton

At the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Smith, Sooke Road, the Misses Evelyn, Elsie and Verna Smith entertained Monday evening at a surprise birthday party for Norman Rhode. Games, dancing and music were enjoyed, and during the evening a gift from the assembled guests was presented to the guest of honor.

The guests included Misses Jane Morrison, Tena and Etta McLeod, Mary McKay, Amy Heath, Ina Brown, Gladys Robinson, Violet Anderson; L. Matthews, L. Muir, R. Pontious, V. Smith, C. Rhode, R. McMillan, F. McLennan, N. Rhode, S. Poirer, A. Davidson, B. Richard and N. McKay.

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Campbell's Prepared Spaghetti 1-lb tins, 3 for ..... 25¢
Plantation Molasses 5-lb tins ..... 29¢
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LOCAL COUNCIL REVIEWS YEAR

Thirty-seventh Annual Meeting Opens To-day; Many Delegates

Miss Crease, President, Commends "Buy in B.C." Campaign

One hundred delegates from affiliated societies attended the thirty-seventh annual meeting of the Local Council of Women which opened this morning at the New Thought Hall, Miss Crease, the president, was in the chair. The sessions continue to-morrow morning and afternoon.

BUY IN B.C. COMMENDED

Miss Crease in her presidential address referred with regret "the chronicle of the passing of another milestone in council work"—the resignation of Miss Mary Lawson from the Friendly Help Association. The association had been the "child" of the council, observed Miss Crease, and had proved through the years its need in the community.

She spoke of the progress of the "Buy in B.C." campaign, and its importance in bringing increased production and consequent employment at home, and urged the women to lend the campaign its fullest support.

The Conservation of natural resources, particularly with reference to the preservation of magnificent old trees and splendid waterfalls from economic spoilage was also touched upon by Miss Crease. She commended all those who had assisted in the support of the women's workroom and the various undertakings arranged in its aid.

In conclusion she expressed the hope that 1932 would see the council attain more of its objectives.

SECRETARY'S REPORT

Mrs. Wm. MacLean, secretary, presented the annual report, reviewing the year's activities and the various meetings held by the council. Many interesting speakers had been heard on various topics. A brief resume was also given of the matters discussed by the council during the year, with an outline of the various resolutions passed in connection with these problems.

Mrs. J. L. White, Mrs. Llewellyn and Mrs. Hyslop were appointed returning officers.

GREETINGS RECEIVED

Greetings, coupled with expressions of regret at their inability to attend the meetings, were received from Mrs. A. J. Labsik, president of the Vancouver council, and from Mrs. G. Murray, of the New Westminster council, and from Mrs. J. W. Fordham Johnson, Mrs. D. J. MacLachlan, provincial council president, also sent greetings.

The Canadian National Parks Association urged the greater use of Canadian parks and suggested that the tonic effect of visits to the parks would be an effective offset to the lowered vitality caused by business depression and unemployment.

The meeting passed a vote of sympathy to the family of the late Mrs. Stapleton of Strawberry Vale.

LEAGUE OF NATIONS

Mrs. Bertha Parsons, convener of the League of Nations' committee, referred with regret to the death of Col. G. Colman, late honorary secretary of the local branch of the league.

She alluded to the success obtained in securing names for the petitions for presentation to the Disarmaments Conference. Mrs. Parsons touched upon the deliberations of that conference and also outlined the Sino-Japanese situation and the problem it is presenting to the league. The steps leading up to the Manchurian situation were also reviewed in the report, and the position of the great powers touched upon in

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PERSONAL

Mrs. Ian Douglas of Saanichton has gone over to Vancouver on a visit to her mother, Mrs. W. F. Irwin.

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Mrs. Rogers, Auburn, Washington, is a visitor in Victoria, and is the guest of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Fairservice, Cook Street.

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Dr. and Mrs. Cunningham of Spokane have been spending the last ten days in Victoria, and have been guests at the Oak Bay Hotel.

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Mrs. F. J. Sehl, Wark Street, who is visiting in Vancouver as the guest of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McConnell, will return to-morrow to her home in Victoria.

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Mrs. W. P. D. Pemberton was hostess at a bride party this afternoon at her home on Foul Bay Road in honor of Mrs. M. Ross of Ottawa, who is spending the winter months in Victoria.

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Among the recent arrivals at the Strathcona Hotel are: Mrs. D. P. Clapp Toronto; Mrs. T. Corte, Clive, Alberta; Mr. A. Schen, Vancouver, and Mr. H O. Walker, Seattle.

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Mr. William G. Murrin, president of the B.C. Electric Railway, arrived in the city from Vancouver by the night boat and is a guest at the Empress Hotel.

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Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Laundy, Beach Drive, who have been spending the last few months in California visiting their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Forbes, are expected back in Victoria on Sunday.

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Word has been received of the pending transfer of Lieut.-Commander R. E. S. Bidwell, who is now in the south with H.M.C.S. Vancouver, to Halifax for duty with H.M.C.S. Saguenay. Commander Bidwell will leave for his new station about May 1

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Among interesting engagements announced in the east is that of F. William Angus, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. Forbes Angus of Montreal and Miss Caro Kingman Molson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Molson of Montreal.

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Guests at the Dominion Hotel include: Miss H. Rose, Surrey Centre B.C.; Mr. V. C. Young, Vancouver; Mr H. MacDonald, Victoria; Mr. B. Norman, Spokane; Mr. W. H. Harper, Vancouver; Mr. William Harrison, Pritchard, and Mr. D. C. Abrams, Seattle.

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Mr. and Mrs. Alan W. Tuckwell entertained yesterday evening in honor of Miss Betty Palmer, who is leaving on February 13 for England via New York. Those present were: Miss Betty Palmer, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Bamford, Mr. and Mrs. H. Bentley, Mr. and Mrs Norman T'Anson and Mr. Adam Clements.

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Mrs. Arthur Carlyle, with her husband and little daughter, Barbara, left yesterday afternoon for Vancouver, en route to eastern Canada, where they will spend a few weeks before proceeding via England to their home at Broken Hill, Rhodesia. They have been visiting Mr. Carlyle's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Carlyle, St. Charles Street.

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Mrs. William Clark entertained with four tables of bridge at her home on Linden Avenue yesterday evening, the players being: Mrs. C. Muston, Mrs. A. Balcom, Miss Kitty Cave, Miss Nancy Johnson, Miss Doris Bray, Miss Una Robertson, Miss Byrd Luney, Miss Doris Woolison, Miss Margaret Adam, Miss Jean McLachlan, Miss Gwen Wood, Miss Moninna McKenna, Miss Claire Allen, Miss Norma Porter, Miss Justa McKenna and Miss Winona Cathcart.

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The annual sessional ball will be held at the Empress Hotel Friday, February 19, under the patronage of Mrs. S. F. Tolmie and wives of the cabinet ministers. Mrs. W. C. Moresby is chairman of the committee in charge of all arrangements and the same success as attended the event last year is anticipated. Capt. W. E. Tapley will head the reception committee, assisted by Mrs. Kilsby, and P. G. Mulliner will act as master of ceremonies. Tickets can be obtained from members of the committee or at the Empress Hotel.

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Among the members of the Provincial Parliament who have already secured accommodation at the Empress Hotel for the duration of the coming session, are Mr. J. H. Schofield of Trail, B.C., who will be accompanied by Mrs. Schofield; Dr. L. E. Borden of Nelson and Mrs. Borden, Mr. G. Heggie of Penticton and Mrs. Heggie, Mr. Gray A. Wells of New Westminster, Hon. R. L. Maitland of Vancouver, Mr. George A. Walkem of Vancouver and Mrs. Walkem and Mr. P. M. McPherson of Cranbrook.

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A very enjoyable evening was spent at the home of Miss Daisy Borrowman when she entertained the members of the "U-Go" Bridge Club. First prize was won by Miss Maude Spark and the second by Miss Kay Freeston. Dainty refreshments were served. Those present were: Misses Annie McKenzie, Winnie Linton, Isabelle Restall, Maude Spark-Alma Casey, Jean Currie, Kay Freeston, Evelyn Day and Daisy Borrowman. The next meeting will be at the home of Miss Jean Currie, Queen's Avenue.

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Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Andrews, Vancouver; Mr. E. M. Martyn, Toronto; Mr. H. Reifel, Vancouver; Mr. E. B. McDermid, Vancouver; Mr. W. Miller, Vancouver; Mr. R. Fiddes, Vancouver; Mr. F. Parsons, Vancouver; Mr. E. J. Underwood, Ottawa; Mr. J. R. Muir, Vancouver; Mrs. V. Baker, Vancouver; Mr. A. McKelvie, Vancouver; Mr. and Mrs. Wuthenow and Miss Wuthenow, Seattle; Mrs. G. A. Shannon, Seattle; Mr. W. F. Fawcett, Winnipeg; Capt. and Mrs. R. Elliott, Vancouver, and Mr. G. C. Ingram, Regina, are guests registered at the Empress Hotel to-day.

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Sixty-three years of married life was celebrated on Monday by M. and Mme De Gendron of North Vancouver. A remembrance service was held by Rev. Father Macdonald in St. Edmund's Church in the morning, and in the afternoon the venerable couple held a reception at their home. M. and Mme De Gendron came to Vancouver from Quebec forty-seven years ago, and have been living on the North Shore for the last few years. They were the recipients of good wishes sent from a large circle of friends on Monday They had three children, two daughters, who are living in Seattle, and one son, Alfred, who died several years ago.

Mrs. E. Gillingham held a surprise party in honor of her daughter, Mrs. E. Myers, at the latter's residence on 626 Speed Avenue, the occasion being her birthday. A pleasant evening was spent playing cards. The self invited guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Bennett, Mr. and Mrs. E. Myers, Mr. and Mrs. J. Mercer, Mr. and Mrs. J. Wilkinson, Mr. and Mrs. L. Palmer, Mr. and Mrs. H. Mercer, Mr. and Mrs. R. Mercer, Mrs. Gillingham, Mrs. Rowan, Miss D. Myers and Messrs. T. Myers, E. Myers and J. Myers.

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Miss Margaret Hemmingsen was hostess to the members of the Sevens-of-Twenty-Eight Club yesterday evening at her home on Cedar Hill Road. Three tables of bridge were in play, the prizes being awarded to Miss Jean Drysdale first, and Miss Margaret Wilkie, consolation. At the conclusion of the evening, refreshments were served from an attractive table, centred with yellow daffodils and scarlet tapers. The members present included Miss Evelyn Morrison, Miss "Tommy" Goy, Mrs. Margaret Wilkie, Miss Olivine Ormond Miss Mary Ross, Miss Audrey Bland Miss Katherine Barlow, Miss Doris Benwell, Miss Dorothy Ashman, Miss Jessie McGillivray, Miss Nina Ferguson, Mis Jean Drysdale and Miss Margare Hemmingsen.

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Under the general convenership of Mrs. Fred Parsons, president, assisted by Mrs. George Deaville, who arranged the programme, a most successful silver tea was held yesterday afternoon in the City Temple social hall under the auspices of the Temple Ladies Auxiliary. Miss Herd was responsible for the very attractive decorative scheme. Many guests attended the affair and greatly enjoyed the musical programme which included vocal solos by Mrs. W. D. Todd, Mr. Maldwyn Humphries and Victor Moore, boy soprano, and a special vocal number was given by Mrs. Sydney Oliver, and Mr. Alan King, "Grandmother's Portrait," from "The Magic Carpet." Dances by pupils of the Russian Ballet School were a feature of the programme, and Jack Moore played enjoyable violin solos. Barbara Groves appeared in a comedy song number which created much amusement.

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In celebration of the eleventh birthday of Post No. 3, Native Daughters of British Columbia, its members entertained at a delightful dance in the New Thought Hall yesterday evening, about seventy guests dancing to the strains of an excellent four-piece orchestra. Mrs. T. P. Waters, chief factor, welcomed the guests, assisted by Mrs. Cecil Davies, Mrs. Ronald Grant, Miss Jean Lorimer and Miss Mae McCorkell. The hall was most attractively decorated with flowers and on the table, at which the buffet suppet was served, the place of honor was occupied by a large birthday cake, iced in white and gold, the Post's colors, and adorned with eleven candles in similar colors. Mrs. Waters officiating at its cutting. Miniature ships decorated in gold also lent a novel touch to the decorative scheme. In addition to the dancing, tables were arranged for bridge, the festivities continuing till a late hour.

Canadian Woman Receives Much Notice In Tokio

Miss Emma Kaufman, Y.W.C.A. Worker in Japan, Given Warm Welcome on Return

By Percy Whiteing, Canadian Press Staff Correspondent

Tokio (By Mail)—Miss Emma Kaufman, prominent Canadian resident of Tokio, has been the recipient of much attention since her return here after a visit of several months at her home in Kitchener, Ontario.

Miss Kaufman is national secretary of the Young Women's Christian Association of Japan, with headquarters in Tokio, and the young women of the association here gave her a warm welcome.

The Canadian Minister, Hon. Herbert Marler, and Mrs. Marler, attended the reception, which was participated in by a large gathering at the Y.W.C.A. here, including officials of the association and Canadian friends.

Miss Kaufman left Tokio about a year ago, accompanying the noted Canadian, Dr. Caroline Macdonald, Japan prison sociologist and worker, to her home in the Dominion, where she died.

About two years ago Miss Kaufman's social and educational work among the young women of Japan was recognized by the Emperor who presented her with a silver bowl emblazoned with the imperial chrysanthemum crest of sixteen petals.

NUN TAKES FINAL VOWS

Lady of Lourdes Church Is Scene of Solemn Ceremony

In the pretty little church of Our Lady of Lourdes, with its grotto and pictures of the famous site in France, after which it is named, a nun of the St. Clare's Monastery took the final vows of her profession this morning.

Rev. Father Boniface of the Franciscan Monastery in Vancouver, officiated at the brief ceremony which made Miss Paradis of Fall River, Mass., Sister Mary Teresa of the Child Jesus for life. Special music by the nuns of the monastery and a mass, with the solemn pronouncement of the vows made the occasion a dignified one. The white altar was ablaze with many candles and the rite had a happy significance.

During his visit in Victoria Father Boniface is staying at the Bishop's Palace on View Street, the guest of Rt. Rev. Gerald Murray, Bishop of Victoria.

It was announced this morning that Rev. Father Bradley, formerly of St. Andrew's Cathedral staff, has been appointed chaplain at St. Ann's Academy in succession to Rt. Rev. Mgr. J. J. Laterme, who is seriously ill at St. Joseph's Hospital, and for whom fears are felt for his ultimate recovery.

ARTISTES WILL VISIT SEATTLE

Musical Club to Give Programme Before Sound City Club

The Victoria Musical Art Society will present a programme to the sister club in Seattle on February 29. The board of directors are sending a group of artists representing both the senior and junior branches of the society. The senior branch will be represented by Mrs. W. H. Wilson, soprano; Miss Irene Bick, violinist, with Miss Eileen Dumbleton as accompanist. Miss Marguerite Mulligan, pianiste, will represent the junior branch. The programme to be performed is as follows:

Piano—
(a) Etude Op. 25, No. 7 ..... (Chopin)
(b) Ballet music from Rosamunde ..... (Schubert-Tanz)

Soprano—
(a) "Under the Greenwood Tree" ..... (A'Buzzi-Peccia)
(b) "Song of the Palanquin Bearers" ..... (Martin Shaw)
(c) "There's Not a Swain on the Plain" ..... (Purcell)
(d) "Merce, Dilette Amiche" ..... (Verdi)

Violin—
(a) "Tempo di Minuetto" ..... (Pugani-Kreisler)
(b) Slavonic Dance in E minor ..... (Dvorak-Kreisler)
(c) "Le Coucou" ..... (Dauin-Manen)

Piano—
(a) Waltz ..... (Palmgren)
(b) "Bird Song" ..... (Palmgren)
(c) "The Scarlet Ceremonies" ..... (John Ireland)

Soprano—
(a) "The Wings of Night" ..... (Winter Watts)
(b) "The Sleep That Flits on Baby's Eyes" ..... (Carpenter)
(c) "The Russian Nightingale" ..... (Alabiess)

Violin—
"Ciaccona" ..... (Vitali-Auer)

Miss J. MacLaren New Regent Of I.O.D.E. Chapter

H.M.S. Resolution Chapter Reviews Year of Much Activity; Settlers Aided

Much work for needy settlers in the Peace River district was accomplished by H.M.S. Resolution Chapter I.O.D.E., according to the reports presented at the annual meeting held Tuesday evening at the home of the regent, Mrs. S. M. Oliver.

Miss Jean MacLaren was elected regent, Mrs. Oliver having retired from that office. Other officers chosen were: First vice-regent, Mrs. Clifford Adams; second vice-regent, Miss M. Holmes; secretary, Mrs. Robert D. Harvey; educational secretary, Miss I. Ross; Echoes secretary, Mrs. Sydney Oliver; treasurer, Mrs. R. Parrow; standard bearer, Miss Louise Wilkerson; councillors, Miss Exham, Mrs. J. Burt Smith, Miss D. Holmes, Mrs. F. H. Buck and Mrs. Andrew Mackenzie. Flowers were presented by the chapter to Mrs. G. C McCulloch, honorary regent, Mrs. Oliver and Mrs. F. H. Buck, retiring officers.

CHILD WELFARE

The child welfare report showed that toys had been sent to the Solarium; clothes, layettes and money, as well as Christmas hampers and toys had been sent to the Peace River district for the settlers, some being distributed through the Red Cross nursing outpost and the schools of the district, others through Mrs. Crawford of Fort St. John.

The secretary, reviewing the year's activities, showed that in addition to educational and child welfare work, assistance had been given to soldiers' graves; a flag pocket had been presented to the Third Troop, Victoria Boy Scouts, and donations given to St. Helena's School at Poona, India, and toward a wheel chair at the Fleming Ward of the Jubilee Hospital.

Twelve new members had been welcomed during the year, and $10 given to secondary education each month for the past few months. Copies of "My Creed" had been sent to two schools and twenty I.O.D.E. calendars distributed. Framed pictures of the King and Queen had also been sent to the school at Fort St. John, and a library sent to the Sunrise Valley School, where Miss Adele Cody-Johnson, a Victoria girl, is now teaching.

Mrs. L. A. Genge was chosen as national councilor, and Mrs. W. Redford and Miss Emma Barrowclough were elected new members.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Miss MacLaren, and future meetings will take place on the second Tuesday of each month. Plans are being made to hold a home cooking sale with date bread, doughnuts and lemon pies as specialties, and novelty dance will be held in the spring.

Mrs. Edgar Wallace Turns Back Home

Cherbourg, France, Feb. 11.—Mrs. Edgar Wallace, widow of the noted British author of mystery tales, left the liner Majestic in the English Channel yesterday evening to return to London after she had learned of her husband's death in California.

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Regent Entertains Bastion Chapter

Special to The Times

Nanaimo, Feb. 11.—Mrs. C. H. Parker, Regent, Bastion Chapter, I.O.D.E., was hostess to members and prospective members of the chapter at a delightful tea at her home Tuesday afternoon. The reception rooms were decorated with snap dragons, red carnations and smilax, and the same color scheme was carried out on the tea table at which Mrs. J. Foster, past regent, presided. She was assisted by Mrs. Paul Michelin, Mrs. Edge-Partington, Mrs. Tom Spencer and Mrs. H. Fetton.

Mrs. W. P. McDonald, vocal soloist, delighted the guests with two charming numbers, which were ably accompanied by Mrs. Keighley, who also gave two pianoforte selections, which were greatly enjoyed.

A pleasing feature of the afternoon was the presentation of a bouquet of pink snap dragons to Mrs. J. Foster by Miss Dobeson in appreciation of services to the chapter during her two years as regent.

Revellers Plan Valentine Dance

Plans for the St. Valentine dance of the Revellers at the Shrine Auditorium Friday have all been completed and every effort is being made to make it an even greater success than previous dances. Len Acres's five-piece orchestra has been engaged for the occasion and the committee reports that the sale of tickets is well ahead of the last dance.

Among the invited guests are Mr. J. P. Watson, president of the Rotary Club, and Mrs. Watson; Mr. J. L. Clay, president of the Gyro Club; Mr. W. Ellis Brown, president of the Kiwanis Club, and Mrs. Brown; Dr. Arthur Poyntz, president of the Kinsmen Club, and Mrs. Poyntz, and Mrs. E. G. Maynard, past president of the Victoria Business and Professional Women's Club.

Mrs. A. E. Hall Is New President Of Britannia W.A.

Silver Flower Basket Presented to Mrs. Dave Sheret for Services

The Ladies' Aid to the Britannia branch of the Canadian Legion at its annual meeting Tuesday evening elected Mrs. Arthur Hall president of succeed Mrs. David Sheret, who retired after four and a half years in the chair. Other officers chosen were: Mrs. J. Dempster, first vice-president; Mrs. Moon, second vice-president; Mrs. T. Dempster, treasurer, and Mrs. A. Harris, secretary. The committee chairmen for the year were appointed as follows: Sick committee, Mrs. Drinkle and Mrs. Pool; refreshment convener, Mrs. T. Bourne; membership committee, Mrs. J. Crawford; by-laws, Mrs. R. Storrie; sergeant-at-arms, Mrs. Jessie Barbour.

Mrs. Sheret was presented by Mrs. J. Blair, on behalf of the branch, with a silver flower basket containing daffodils and blue narcissi and decorated with royal blue and yellow ribbons, the colors of the branch.

Mrs. Blair spoke highly of the work that Mrs. Sheret had done in the aid, since October, 1927. She had always been untiring in her efforts to assist the branch and the women's organization, and was held in high esteem by her fellow workers.

During the evening J. Blair and Mrs. A. Harris were presented with beautiful bouquets in recognition of their devoted services to the organization, corsage bouquets being also presented to Mrs. T. Dempster and Mrs. A. Hall. At the close of the evening refreshments were served and a social hour enjoyed by the members.

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this connection. The present conflict was described by Mrs. Parsons as "the last stand of might against right," and she appealed to the women to unite in supporting the League in its efforts to bring about peace in the Far East and ultimate world peace.

ARTS AND LETTERS

Mrs. Middleton, convener of the Arts and Letters, recorded some of the activities along this line, touching upon the work of Victoria artists under the aegis of the Island Arts and Crafts Society. Much praise was also given to the work of Miss Emily Carr and Robin Watt, well-known Victoria artists.

Mrs. Middleton referred to the need for a technical art school here, to encourage young artists to take up commercial designing. She commended the work of the Pottery Club and spoke of the china painting and wood carving classes at the Y.W.C.A. Praise was also given to members of the local Authors' Association for their contributions to Canadian literature. The musical activities of the community were also reviewed in the report.

FINANCES SOUND

Mrs. J. W. Gibson, the treasurer, presented the financial statement showing that the council ended the year with a balance of $66. The meeting passed a donation of $5 to the Y.W.C.A. for the use of its rooms on various occasions, a similar sum being voted to the Conservative Association for the use of its rooms for the monthly meetings.

Reports of affiliated societies were presented by A. R. Sherwood for the S.P.C.A., who took the opportunity to commend the work of the women on the committee.

Valentine Social—The Ladies' Auxiliary committee to the Pride of Victoria Lodge 4567 R.A.O.B. will hold a Valentine social Saturday at 8 o'clock in the R.A.O.B. hall, 557 Yates Street. All members are requested to attend and bring friends.

Your Baby and Mine

By MYRTLE MEYER ELDRED

BANGING PANS INTERESTS BABY MORE THAN QUIET PLAY

Parents are prone to irritation because of the child's lack of concentration. In their eyes there is something woefully wrong with the child who dashes from one amusement to the next, who drops blocks for a doll and the doll for a string of beads, all in the space of a few moments.

Such play is natural to childhood. The child's memory is short and his attention span limited. If he is surrounded by toys, their fascinations lead him astray. He is easily distracted.

At this stage the parent thinks it is her duty to sit down on the floor and teach the child how to play. If she will show him how to build up the blocks into a satisfyingly solid structure, so she thinks, he will know what blocks are for, and will imitate her.

THE LESSON

She insists that baby sit beside her while she shows him how to use blocks. Baby watches. The blocks go up into an intricate tower. Six blocks, then four, then two and then a neat one on top. Baby looks at it, then with one swoop he knocks them all over and laughs gleefully at the crash.

Mother tells father about it afterwards. "I showed him how to build up the blocks, but he pays no attention. I don't know what is the matter with that child. He's just destructive. He doesn't know how to play."

Children learn how to play by being given toys that interest them at each stage of their growth. My leaflet, "Toys for Various Ages," suggests the types of toys suitable to the child at each stage of his growth. A self-addressed, stamped envelope should accompany your request. The small baby likes nothing better than a rattle to replace the joys of his fingers and toes, with which he has heretofore been fascinated. He looks at the bright color, gives the rattle an experimental shake. He listens intently to that lovely noise. Then he puts the rattle to his lips and licks its smooth surface. He is playing with the rattle.

From then until he is two years of age he will be busy all day playig with whatever comes to his hand. He will want big blocks that he can put together easily with a lot of puffing and happy straining. He will want big balls that he can throw. He will want pots and pans and beads. He will want objects to pull and carry about. He will run from one to the other busily. When he is tired of lugging blocks, he will sit and put pans one inside of the other, then dump them out and start over. Carrying a toy in one hand, he will walk up and down stairs, as intent on this climbing as on the most fascinating game.

ADULTS TABOO

Children learn to play by being allowed to amuse themselves with toys as they wish. The adult should seldom or never enter in. If children tried to imitate the uses to which adults can put their toys, they would become so discouraged that playing would be work instead of fun.

The concentration with which children can pull out the pan from a cupboard, and stack them in, and pull them out again with a bang seldom brings any real satisfaction to the parent who yearns for quiet, concentrated and tidy play. If a mother can stifle these yearnings, she will accept the child's play as his method of learning, and, therefore, untidy, experimental and easily interrupted. Their irritation will disappear, supplanted by helpful desire to furnish the material and the play place and let nature do the rest.

WON CONTRACT BY DEDUCTION

Mrs. Culbertson Made Four-heart Contract By Deducing Opponent's Cards

By TOM O'NEIL

New York, Feb. 10.—If a player has contracted for four hearts and holds only four to the Queen-ten and the player at the declarer's left holds five trumps to the King-knave, fulfillment of the contract would seem impossible. Success with such a hand is one of the triumphs of Mrs. Josephine Culbertson.

ACCURATE DEDUCTIONS

In order to take ten of thirteen tricks she had to make accurate deductions of the holding of opponents, especially of the player at her left, who had doubled. Her bid of hearts, raised to four by partner, under some circumstances would have produced a heavy penalty. She had a two-suiter and first bid a club, holding five to the Ace-knave.

The hand, played in a social game, follows:

North
Spades—10 9 8 7
Hearts—A 9 8 5
Diamonds—A Q J
Clubs—8 6

West
Spades—K J 2
Hearts—K J 7 4 2
Diamonds—8 7 5
Clubs—10 4

East
Spades—Q 5 4 3
Hearts—None
Diamonds—K 9 6 4 3
Clubs—K Q 9 2

South (dealer)
Mrs. Culbertson
Spades—A 6
Hearts—Q 10 6 3
Diamonds—10 2
Clubs—A J 7 5 3

The bidding: South one club, West pass, North one no trump, East two diamonds, South two hearts, West pass, orth four hearts, East pass, South pass, West doubles, all pass.

KEY PLAY

Trick	West	North	East	South
1	8D	AD*	3D	2D
2	5D	QD	KD*	10D
3	7D	JD*	4D	6S
4	4C	6C	2C	AC*
5	JH	AH*	3S	3H
6	10C	8C	QC*	3C
7	2S	7S	4S	AS*
8	KH*	8S	9C	5C
9	2H	5H	6D	6H*
10	4H	8H*	KC	7C
11	JS	9S	5S	10H*
12	7H	9H*	9D	JC
13	KS	10S	QS	QH*

*Took trick. Next lead immediately underneath.

The key play was the discard of the spade six upon the high diamond in dummy. Mrs. Culbertson deducing that it was probable that East had not more than five diamonds and therefore West had three. The bidding also showed her that West must have at least four hearts to the King-knave. If on the first heart lead West played low Mrs. Culbertson would have finessed the eight from dummy. Against any defence Mrs. Culbertson's method of play would have been successful. She did not risk finesses in diamonds and clubs which would have seemed the only hope to many players.

FORUM TO HEAR MAJOR MOODIE

At the monthly meeting of the Victoria Liberal Women's Forum tomorrow afternoon at 2.45 o'clock at the Liberal headquarters, Government and Broughton Streets, Major S. F. M. Moodie will address the meeting on "Party Politics." The soloist will be Mrs. Fred Hawes and tea will be served by the ladies of Ward Five. A cordial invitation is extended to all Liberal women and their friends to attend.

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Queen Approves Fashions To Be Worn At Court

London, Feb. 11.—Women folk summoned to attend the royal courts this season may wear colored gowns modeled upon four approved by the King and Queen yesterday.

A description of the gowns now on view in the Lord Chamberlain's office, says one is of a cloud-white silk net, sprinkled with tiny diamond stars; another is of water-lily green Nottingham lace and silk chiffon; the third is Australia gold, ruby, orange and black brocade; the fourth is of orchid mauve satin with a train of pansy purple velvet.

AUNT HET

BY ROBERT QUILLEN

"I didn't know Ed was drinkin' again, until I seen Amy buyin' a new broom this mornin' an' she told me she busted her old one."

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New Open-work Stockings Help Girls To "Crib"

Chicago, Feb. 11.—Those new open-work stockings the girls are wearing, Prof. Norman Bradish of Northwestern University said, have caused an outbreak of cribbing in examinations.

The girls write out before examinations answers to the questions they think may be asked, Prof. Bradish said. The answers, he said, are on small pieces of paper and the paper is placed under the stocking.

All that remains is for the co-ed to move her skirt during the test and copy the answer from the paper.

"And," the professor concluded, "what is a professor going to do about it?"

Horoscope

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 12, 1932

Astrologers find this rather an uncertain day in planetary government, but benefic aspects are active.

The morning hours are not altogether fortunate for agriculture, although many products of the earth will bring good prices.

Unseasonable weather and severe storms may retard the spring, but many crops of 1932 should be extraordinarily good, it is forecast.

While this configuration prevails men in power should benefit. It is a rule in which justification and approval are more common than usual.

There is a good sign for all who seek favors, but they should not ask what cannot command a just recompense.

Women probably will benefit under this rule of the stars, which makes them tactful and diplomatic.

It is an auspicious sway under which wives may expect to obtain coveted household possessions.

There is an aspect lucky for shopping or for entertaining. It is a favorable date for small dinners or luncheons.

Diversence of opinion on public matters may be emphasized under this rule of the stars, which is especially threatening to the harmony of political parties.

Uranus is in a place that is believed to lead the world to greater culture and rapid scientific attainment.

Russia is believed to be under an influence that seeks a kingdom of trade and advancement on the seas, the seers announce.

Persons whose birthdate it is have the augury of a year of prosperity and progress. It is well to be on guard against deception.

Children born on this day probably will be of a philosophical as well as practical turn of mind. The subjects of this sign usually have tremendous courage and strong individuality.

Abraham Lincoln, sixteenth President of the United States, was born on this day, 1809. Others who have celebrated it as a birthday are Tadeusz Kosciusko, 1746, Polish patriot, and Charles Robert Darwin, 1809, famous naturalist.

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CHANEL FAVORS LACE FOR GOWNS

Filmy Thinness For Spring Wear; Rippled Hems and Back Drapes

Paris, Feb. 11.—Lace provides the filmy thinness so well suited to spring clothes, and adapts itself to the present more elaborate styles.

Chanel uses lace in costumes for many different effects. She shows a gold lace dress embroidered in pink and blue beads, for evening. Many lace dresses in her collection have fine corded patterns and others are of venise types with medium-sized heavy patterns. Shirred laces form a new type of treatment followed by Chanel.

Ensembles are popular for afternoon, and one Chanel group of afternoon dresses of ankle length has matching long-sleeved jackets. Self-lacings and bow details are used in suits in ensembles.

Chanel's evening styles favor skirts with very full hems that are much rippled. Back drapes are emphasized. Pointed evening scarfs, short velvet capes and velvet hip jackets are shown among the wraps.

Embroidered organdie hats form a crisp style note for spring. Their syerness harmonizes with the thin fabrics of the clothes.

Bright rose, scarlet and emerald afford brilliant spots of color among Chanel's daytime frocks, while navy biege and white fit more sober moods.

On the Air

Radio Highlights

TO-NIGHT

6.15 p.m.—San Francisco Symphony Orchestra under Basil Cameron, British guest conductor—KOMO.
9.00 p.m.—Many famous movie stars to be heard in special surprise programme—KFRC.

TO-MORROW

11.00 a.m.—Lincoln Memorial broadcast—CBS-KVI.
12.00 noon and 12.45 p.m.—Olympic ski jumping broadcasts—KVI.
1.20 p.m.—Radio Guild in Stephen Phillips's poetic drama, "Paolo and Francesca"—KOMO.
1.30 p.m.—Lady Simon, wife of the British Foreign Secretary, speaking from Europe on "Slavery"—KVI.
3.30 p.m.—Geneva rebroadcast—KOMO.
5.00 p.m.—Bob Sherwood, one of few living men to see Abraham Lincoln's second inauguration, to portray "The Great Emancipator," in special Lincoln birthday observance broadcast—KOMO.
6.30 p.m.—Irvin Cobb, author, in tribute to Lincoln—KOMO.
7.30 p.m.—President Hoover as guest speaker at Lincoln Day dinner of National Republican Club—KOMO.

CFCT, VICTORIA

To-night

6 p.m.—Modern Melodies.
6.30 p.m.—Sunset Time.
7.15 p.m.—Selberling Singers.
7.30 p.m.—Bert Zala, pianist.
7.45 p.m.—Variety programme.

To-morrow

8 a.m.—"Good Morning."
8.15 a.m.—Timely Topics, Dr. Davies.
8.30 a.m.—Request music.
10.15 a.m.—Shopping with Suzette.
10.30 a.m.—Request programme.
11.30 a.m.—Bert Zala, pianist.
11.45 a.m.—Request music.
12 noon—Melody Time.
12.15 p.m.—World Book Man.
12.20 p.m.—Musical Miniature.

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Uncle Wiggily's Soldiers

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"Attention, soldiers!" called Uncle Wiggily. "Stand at attention and listen to what I have to say!"

"All right, Captain Daddicums!" spoke Jingle, the little girl rabbit.

"No talking in the ranks!" said Mr. Longears, pretending to be very stern and not smiling, though he wanted to. "Soldiers must not talk when their captain is going to give them orders."

"All right, we'll be quiet, Unkie Wig!" said Baby Bunty.

"Dear me! You must keep quiet, Bunty, if you please," exclaimed Captain Longears as he looked at the boy and girl animal soldiers inside the snow fort he had built around his hollow stump bungalow. "This is going to be a bad time for us unless you, my soldiers, are brave and will help to keep out the enemy."

"We'll be brave!" said Buster, a boy rabbit. "Is there going to be any fighting?"

"I think there will soon be plenty of fighting!" answered Uncle Wiggily, and just for a moment he forgot and twinkled his pink nose, which made the animal boy and girl soldiers laugh.

"Silence!" cried Uncle Wiggily, trying to speak sternly. "Don't laugh! We must get ready for the fighting! Attention!"

"Hurray! I'm glad there's to be some fighting!" shouted Custer, who was Buster's brother.

"So am I!" said Duster, another brother.

"Are we girls going to fight?" asked Jangle, who was Jingle's twin sister.

"Girls can't be soldiers and fight!" answered Buster. "Only we boys can fight."

Throw at the enemy

"Oh, that's no fun at all!" exclaimed Jingle. "I want to fight!"

"Maybe it would be more fun for us to be Red Cross nurses," said Baby Bunty.

"Oh, yes, that would be fun. Then we could take care of the boys when they get hurt!" laughed Jangle.

By this time Uncle Wiggily was jumping up and down on top of the walls of the snow fort he had built around his bungalow. He reached the top of the walls by climbing up a ladder. The poor rabbit gentleman wanted his boy and girl animal soldiers to be quiet, but here they were talking just as if it were a party.

"Be quiet! Be quiet, please!" called the rabbit gentleman. "You cannot be soldiers and talk all the while. Besides, here come the Bad Chaps! Now there will be some fighting!"

"Hurray! Hurray! Hurray!" cried the boy soldiers, for they felt very brave inside the strong snow fort.

"Get ready for the battle—to take care of the wounded!" called Jingle, who was at the head of the Red Cross nurses.

Uncle Wiggily climbed down off the fort wall.

"Are the Bad Chaps really coming?" asked Buster.

"Yes, the Fox, the Wolf and the Bob Cat are running toward our fort," said Uncle Wiggily. "I saw them from the top of the wall. Now everybody keep quiet and get ready to drive them away."

For a wonder no one now talked inside the snow fort. Uncle Wiggily was glad it had been built to protect his bungalow. Nurse Jane Fuzzy Wuzzy and Mrs. Longears stood in the bungalow doorway, looking at Uncle Wiggily and his soldiers.

"What's going on?" asked Nurse Jane.

"The Bad Chaps are coming!" cried Uncle Wiggily. "We are going to drive them away from our fort. They are outside and they want to get inside. They will try to climb over the walls, but I'll stop them, for they have no ladder!"

"How will you stop them?" asked Mrs. Longears.

"I and my brave soldiers will throw snowballs at the Bad Chaps!" cried Uncle Wiggily. "We will snowball them on their noses and on their toeses and drive them away."

"Good for you!" shouted Nurse Jane, who always wanted to be a soldier, but, instead, had to be a nurse.

Once more Uncle Wiggily climbed up on top of the snow fort and took a look. Quickly he climbed down again.

"Ready, soldiers!" he cried. "Here they come. Quick, make a lot of snowballs and throw at the enemy."

Then the girl animals began to make snowballs and the boy animals began to throw them over the walls at the Fox, the Wolf and the Bob Cat when the three Bad Chaps rushed at the front wall of the fort. And so many balls did the animal soldiers throw and so hard did they hit the Bad Chaps that first the Fox howled and then the Wolf howled and then the Bob Cat howled, being hit on their noses and on their toeses, and away they ran. So Uncle Wiggily and his soldiers in the fort were safe.

Now if the pussy cat will stop tickling the puppy dog on his nose with the fuzzy end of her tail, I'll tell you next about Uncle Wiggily and his funny guns.

Valentine Tea, auspices volunteer Bible Class, First United Church, Y.W.C.A., Saturday, February 13, 3 to 6 p.m. Proceeds for under-privileged children. ***

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Ormond's Cream Crackers, large pkt. with Coupon ..... 17¢
Imperial Fruit Cake, 3-lb. slab, 75¢
HBC Bread—White, wholewheat, rye, raisin, potato. Per loaf ..... 5¢

PHONE SPECIAL—8.30 TO 12
1 lb. Pure Indian Tea and 1 lb. Freshly Ground Coffee, for 37c

Old Dutch Cleanser, 3 tins for 29¢
Lux or Palmolive Toilet Soap, 3 cakes for ..... 22¢
Royal Crown Laundry Soap, 7 bars for ..... 25¢
Coachella Grapefruit, 4 for .... 25¢
1 doz. for ..... 69¢
Large Sunkist Oranges, per doz., 50¢
Burbank Potatoes, per sack .... 85¢
Jamaica Oranges, per doz. .... 30¢

EGGS
Fresh Extras, 3 doz. for .. 72¢
Fresh Firsts, 3 doz. for .. 69¢

BUTTER
Selected Creamery, lb. ... 20¢
3 lbs. for ..... 58¢
Local Creamery, lb. ..... 22¢
3 lbs. for ..... 65¢

Pure Refined Lard, 3 lbs. for .. 29¢
Cooket Vegetable Shortening, lb., 16¢
3 lbs. for ..... 45¢
Our Special Side Bacon, sliced, per lb. ..... 16¢
Our Special Back Bacon, sliced, per lb. ..... 22¢
Sliced Ayrshire Roll, per lb. ... 20¢
Swift's Premium Bacon, back or side, per lb. ..... 28¢

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VERY CHOICE QUALITY
Smoked or Sweet Pickled, averaging from, 75¢ to $1.00

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Our Special Cooked Ham, sliced, per lb. ..... 38¢
Sliced Roast Leg of Pork, per lb., for ..... 42¢
Sliced Ham Bologna, per lb. ... 15¢
Sliced Corned Beef, per lb. ..... 18¢
Sliced Headcheese, per lb. ..... 15¢
Dill Pickles, each, 5¢, 6 for .. 25¢

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Parcels Carried to Your Car Free

Pure Honey, No. 2½ tin .... 27¢
King-Beach Marmalade, 40-oz. jar, for ..... 27¢

Choice Sweet Corn, extra special, No. 1 tins, 4 tins for ..... 25¢
Mac's Best Peas, 2 tins for ..... 19¢
Libby's Pork and Beans, 3 tins ..... 25¢

Pearl-white Naptha Soap (limit 18 bars) 9 bars for ..... 25¢

Salmon, Clover Leaf Fancy Pink, 1-lb. tins, 3 tins for ..... 25¢
Shredded Wheat, 2 pkts. for ..... 19¢
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Choicest Quality. Always Sanitary Wrapped. Quick Service
"Imperial" Creamery, 3 lbs. 55¢

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4 lbs. for ..... 95¢

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Deep Cut Sirloin, per lb. ..... 28¢
T-bone Roast, per lb. ..... 28¢
Wing Loin Roast, per lb. ..... 22¢
Sirloin Tip and Aitch Bone, per lb. .. 22¢
Prime Rib and Rump Roast, per lb. .. 18¢
Cross Cut and Thick Rib, per lb. .... 15¢
Plates and Briskets, per lb. ..... 10¢
Our Own Brand Beef Sausages, per lb., 10¢

LOCAL PORK
Legs, Loins and Fillets, per lb. ..... 15¢
Shoulders and Sides, per lb. ..... 12¢
Imperial Pork Sausages, per lb. ..... 18¢

B.C. LAMB
Legs, Loins and Fillets, per lb. ..... 28¢
Shoulders, whole or half, per lb. ..... 17¢
Lamb Stew, 2 lbs. for ..... 25¢

SPRING VEAL
Fillets, per lb. ..... 35¢
Rumps and Loins, per lb. ..... 30¢
Shoulders, per lb. ..... 18¢
Stewing Veal, 2 lbs. for ..... 25¢

POULTRY
Choice Fowl, per lb. ..... 25¢
Turkeys, per lb. ..... 30¢
Roasting Chicken, per lb. ..... 33¢

SMOKED FISH
Finnan Haddie, per lb. ..... 18¢
Fresh Kippers, per lb. ..... 15¢
Sable Fillets, per lb. ..... 25¢
Golden Ray Fillets, per lb. ..... 25¢
Kippered Salmon, per lb. ..... 20¢

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Victoria Daily Times

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VICTORIA, B.C., THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 1932

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Victoria Daily Times

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Announcements

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of Amy, dearly beloved wife of Mr. Chas. F. Gardiner, who passed into rest February 11, 1931.

This is a day of remembrance,
And one of sad regret;
This day we all remember
When the rest of the world forget.
Our hearts are filled with sadness,
Our eyes shed many a tear;
God alone knows how we miss her
As it dawns into a year.

—Inserted by a loving husband and her children, Rita, Dorothy and Stanley.

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10 COMING EVENTS

AT 8 FRIDAY, FEB. 12, PROGRESSIVE 500, C.P.R. Clubhouse, Belleville Street. Prizes. Admission 25c; all welcome. 888-1-36

BALLROOM DANCING TAUGHT IN 4 LESSONS. Wednesdays, 8-11, 50c. Russian Ballet School, Oak Bay Junct., E8821. 8125-26-50

HOLWOOD HALL, FRIDAY NIGHT, 7.30 p.m., Valentine card party and dance, Pitt's orchestra, good supper, tombola, sponsored by Wilfert Lumber Co. Social club and Colwood W.I. A good evening's entertainment for 50c. 8349-3-37

COMPOSITE UNITS' VALENTINE DANCE, armories, Friday, 9 p.m. Couple, 75c. 8380-2-37

DANCING EVERY EVENING TILL 2 A.M. Green Mill Grillroom, 645 Yates. No cover charge. tf

IF YOUR WATCH DOES NOT GIVE SATISFACTION, bring it to the "Watch Bench." Mainspring $1, cleaning $1. 1114 Broad St tf

IF YOU CAN'T FIND WHAT YOU WANT, broadcast—through The Times Want Ads on this page. 000-6-40

B.A.A. VALENTINE DANCE, CLUBHOUSE, Saturday, Feb. 13, 9.30 p.m. Special music, tombolas, etc. Refreshments. Admission 75c. 8289-7-38

COMING EVENTS (Continued)

MILITARY 500, ST. ANDREW'S AND Caledonian Society, Thursday, Feb. 11, at 8.30 p.m., 1230 Government St. Good prizes. Admission 25c. 8360-2-36

NEW THOUGHT TEMPLE LADIES' CLUB will hold a valentine silver tea at the temple on Saturday, 2.30 to 5.30 p.m. Musical programme; everybody welcome. 8376-2-37

PARTNER WHIST—EAGLES' HALL, 1319 Government St., Thursday, Feb. 11, 8.30. Prizes: Two $4, two $2.50, two $1, two specials. Everybody welcome. 25c. 8355-1-36

QUEEN OF THE ISLAND LODGE NO. 209, a special meeting on Friday at 1.30 p.m. in the Orange Hall. 8381-1-36

ST. ANDREW'S AND CALEDONIAN SOCIETY dance, Friday, 12th, A.O.F. Hall, 8.30 p.m. Findler's orchestra. Tickets, Horseshoe Stand; refreshments; admission 50c. 8286-6-39

SOCIAL DANCE, ST. MARY'S HALL, SIX-piece orchestra, under management Mrs. Simpson, Monday, Feb. 15. Admission 25c. 8338-6-39

SAFETY FIRST—A THREE-ACT COMEDY presented by the Reformed Episcopal Y.P. under the auspices of the Orange Association, in the Cridge Memorial Hall, corner Humboldt and Blanshard Sts., Thursday, Feb. 11, at 8.15; admission 25c. 8366-2-36

TURKEY SHOOT AT GOLDSTREAM HOTEL, Saturday, Feb. 13, at 2 p.m. Acie Smith. 8364-3-37

VALENTINE DANCE, CHARTER'S HALL, Sooke, Sat., Feb. 13, 9 p.m. Admission 50c. 8336-4-38

11 LOST AND FOUND

LOST—BLACK LEATHER SATCHEL CONTAINING personal belongings, letters, etc., at dance, Sooke, Saturday evening. Please phone G2990. xx-3-36

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ALL FIRST GROWTH CORDWOOD, 4-FT. $5; stove lengths, $6.50. Premier Fuel Co., 531 Esquimalt Rd. G6952; night, E1769. 8341-26-57

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A CORD FINE DRY WOOD, $6; ALBERTA sootless coal, lump $11.50, egg $11, nut $10.50. Gilbert's Heat Shop, next Library. G2011.

BEST DRYLAND SLABWOOD—RODGER, Alpha Street; G2214; Night, G5082. 6417

BEST DRYLAND BONE DRY WOOD—$6 cord; fresh water wood, $4.75 cord. Kapoor Fuel Co., G3715. 7938-26-40

BONE DRY CORDWOOD, $6.75, ½ CD., $3.50; bone dry millwood, $5.75; ½ cd., $3.; dryland millwood, $4.75; ½ cd. $2.50. 2 cds. $9. C4191. 810-26-53

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DRYLAND FIR WOOD, BARK SLAB, INside blocks, mixed, $4.50 cd.; 15 days only. Dry cedar wood, $3 cd.; bone dry fir $6 cd; G7752 709-26-40

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WOOD AND COAL (Continued)

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17 MISCELLANEOUS

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A STOPPED CLOCK! LET US MAKE IT tick. Work guaranteed. White's, 1006 Broad St., E9552. 6676-tf

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ACTIVE AND WILLING BOY WANTS DElivery job; low wages to start. Address Edward Wrigley, 1857 Crescent Road, Foul Bay. 860-1-37

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CHINESE CANADIAN EMPLOYMENT OFfice, 574 Johnson St. Phone G2052. tf

CARPENTRY WORK; FENCES REPAIRED; odd jobs done. Phone E6673, Grimshaw. 855-6-38

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ROOF REPAIRS, PAINTING, PAPERhanging and kalsomining done reasonably. Phone G2381. tf

22 SITUATIONS WANTED FEMALE

CAPABLE FINNISH GIRL WANTS WORK as housemaid; for reference, phone E6259.

POSITION, PERMANENT, NIGHT DUTY. English trained nurse; highest references. Box 7929, Times. 7929-26-42

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FRESH ROASTED JAMAICA COFFEE, 22c lb. India tea, 24c lb. Cairo Coffee Shop, 1708 Douglas, opposite Hudson's Bay. 8220-26-55

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of William Pigott, deceased, late of Los Angeles, in the State of California, U.S.A., who died on or about the 8th day of October, 1930, at the city of Los Angeles aforesaid, administration of whose estate within British Columbia with the will and codicil annexed, was granted on the 26th day of November, 1931, in the Victoria Registry of the Supreme Court of British Columbia to The Royal Trust Company, Victoria, B.C., are hereby required to send by post prepaid full particulars in writing of their claims and demands, verified by Statutory Declaration, to the said The Royal Trust Company at its office, 1200 Government Street, Victoria, B.C., on or before the 10th day of March, 1932; and all parties who have any assets belonging to or who are indebted to the said deceased are required to forward particulars of same to The Royal Trust Company forthwith; and that the said The Royal Trust Company will, after the 10th day of March, 1932, proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which The Royal Trust Company shall then have had notice.

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Solicitors for The Royal Trust Company, Administrator of the Estate, with the Will and Codicil annexed, of William Pigott, Deceased, 903-7 Bank of Toronto Building, Victoria, B.C.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA IN PROBATE

IN THE MATTER of the Estates of Charles Edward Stewart and Edith Rachel Stewart, late of the Municipality of Saanich, Province of British Columbia.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all persons having claims or demands against the late Charles Edward Stewart, who died on the 13th day of February, 1931, and Edith Rachel Stewart, who died on the 20th day of June, 1931, at Victoria, British Columbia, are required to forward to the undersigned their names, addresses and particulars in writing of their claims forthwith.

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Belmont Egg Pool Elects Officers

Langford, Feb. 11.—The annual meeting of the Belmont local egg pool was held in the Women's Institute Monday evening.

Election of officers took place as follows: President, A. F. Bayles; secretary, R. B. Jeffery; executive committee, A. Norman Brown, William Bartle, T. W. P. Jackson; delegates to the annual British Columbia egg and poultry meeting in Vancouver, William Bartle; alternate delegate, T. W. P. Jackson.

Through the kindness of Mrs. Ernest Goucher, the fifth annual waffle tea was held at the Tom Thumb tea rooms on Tuesday.

Waffles were made by Mrs. E. Goucher, assisted by Mrs. W. T. Dixon and Mrs. J. E. Macdonald. The tea arrangements were in the hands of Miss L. M. A. Savory. The home cooking table was supervised by Mrs. H. F. Dack.

The prize for guessing the nearest number of beads in a contest conducted by Mrs. H. A. Hincks, was won by Mrs. A. Norman Brown. Mrs. F. A. Sparks was the accompanist for three solos rendered by Mrs. P. H. Staverman.

Mrs. Goucher was presented with a handsome fern.

The proceeds will swell the funds of St. Matthew's Guild.

A Valentine card party will be held in the Women's Institute Hall February 13 under the auspices of the social committee.

Miss L. M. A. Savory, Mrs. P. N. Welch, Mrs. J. E. Macdonald and Mrs. H. A. Hincks will be delegates to the Local Council of Women's Conference in Victoria this week from the Langford Women's Institute.

MANY HAPPY RETURNS

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 10

Ronnie Watt, 1205 Juno Street, Victoria (8).

THURSDAY, FEB. 11

Jack Perry, 427 Luxton Street, Victoria (13).

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Heart Hungry

by LAURA LOU BROOKMAN, AUTHOR OF "RASH ROMANCE" — © 1930 by NEA SERVICE, INC.

The car stopped before a fashionable hotel and a liveried attendant opened the door. Mrs. Parsons stepped to the sidewalk, gave her chauffeur a few words of instruction and entered the hotel.

She walked through the richly decorated lobby until she reached a certain alcove. There were chairs there, but only one was occupied. Evelyn Parsons sat down to wait.

There was an air of distinction about the black and white frock Evelyn was wearing. Her hat had been designed by Reboux. She looked like a woman any man would be glad to be seen dining with. Her manner, complacent and assured, conveyed the same impression.

Whomever she was expecting was late. Several times Evelyn glanced at the tiny wrist watch. Then, half-way across the lobby, she saw a man coming toward her.

Mrs. Parsons stood up.

"How do you do!" she smiled, offering her hand.

"Evelyn, I'm sorry to be late. Caught in traffic. I'd have gotten here sooner if I'd walked, but I thought a cab would save time. I hope you'll forgive me!"

John Mitchell's apology was spoken sincerely.

"Don't think of it another moment," Evelyn told him. "I didn't mind waiting in the least."

"Let's go in to lunch at once."

They entered an ivory and blue dining-room that was cool and softly shaded. The head waiter, bowing deferentially, led them to a table for two at one side of the room.

When they were seated Mitchell ordered, then sat back and looked at his companion.

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Evidently she had sighted an acquaintance. Evelyn was nodding and smiling toward a table at the right, where a man and woman sat. The couple returned the greeting.

"It's Nancy and Boyd Fraser," Evelyn said to Mitchell. "You know them, don't you?"

"Don't believe I do."

"Oh, I forgot. It was in Paris I met them. Don't they look happy together? One of the most delightful couples I've ever met. He's in real estate—Westchester Company, I think. You know, I love to see them. Boyd simply adores his wife! That sort of affection seems such a novelty these days."

"You sound cynical."

"Not at all! You see, to me marriage is—well, such a sacred thing. That's why this frightful modern way of treating it lightly hurts me, I suppose. When I see couples who truly love each other and are not ashamed to admit it I can't help rejoicing."

Evelyn's gaze was sweet and pensive. Her eyes rested on Mitchell a moment, then she smiled.

"Anyone else would think me a Victorian. I hope you don't, John."

"You never looked younger—or lovelier."

Before Evelyn could reply the waiter arrived with chilled fruit. Fastidiously he arranged the service. When the man disappeared John Mitchell leaned forward.

"Do you remember that young fellow Celia spent so much time with the night of her birthday party? Jordan his name is—Tod Jordan. Remember she came home late? I'm sure I told you about it."

Mrs. Parsons nodded.

"I remember," she said. Very tense and still she waited.

Mitchell applied a match to a cigarette before he spoke. He eyed the flame carefully.

"I've got a line on that young man," he said quietly. "Got it this morning."

CHAPTER XXXVI

John Mitchell rested one arm on the table. He eyed his companion as he spoke slowly.

"The man's a gambler," he said. "Works the fashionable resorts, trans-Atlantic liners and any place he's likely to find real cash. I understand he has a number of men and women of high social rank among his acquaintances—particularly women. Must be rather a slick character!"

Evelyn Parsons was leaning forward. She looked astonished.

"Oh, John, how terrible! Imagine Celia becoming interested in such a—such an impostor!"

"Well, I can thank you for helping me break up that affair. Getting her out at your home was what did it. She's so busy now with tennis and fooling around the garden and getting a good healthy tan she hasn't any time left for sentimental nonsense. Of course, I don't blame the child. She doesn't know anything about the world."

"But I think this is dreadful!" Evelyn persisted. "How did you find out about this, John?"

"Through an agency. After the night of her birthday party I was worried. Wanted to be sure, and so I made an investigation. The thing took quite a little time. Jordan is shrewd enough so that he's only once gotten into legal entanglements. The people he fleeces, you understand, aren't the sort who care to rush into court or the newspapers.

"You're sure he really is as bad as you say?"

"My information is authentic. No question about it."

Mrs. Parsons was not eating.

"But how—where did Celia come to know such a man?"

"He's the one who pulled her out of the water that time she nearly drowned at the Bat Club. Must say I have to give him credit for that. You know it seems to me—er—seems to me Celia said before that she met him at your home. Could that be right, Evelyn?"

"At my home? Oh, no, John, you must be mistaken. Celia couldn't have said that. Why—ridiculous!"

Mitchell nodded.

"Probably my mistake," he said. "I don't remember very clearly. Well, now that I know this young man for what he is you can believe me I feel lucky to have things turn out as they have. Yes, sir, getting her into the country is what did it! Something else to thank you for, too."

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Evelyn Parsons's glance was meaningful.

"If I've helped, I'm glad, but we did it together, John."

"You're a wonderful helper."

Evelyn waited. Mitchell did not speak. After a few moments the woman's azure gaze met his again.

"You're understanding, John," she said earnestly. "I feel that I can talk to you as to no one else. There's a little confession I ought to make. Then perhaps you'll see what this summer has—meant to me."

There was an instant's pause and then Evelyn continued:

"Three months ago when I returned from Paris I was a broken hearted woman. You know the happiness that Dwight and I—God bless him!—had always known. Never a cross word between us in twenty years. You understand what his passing meant to me."

She touched a handkerchief daintily to her eyes before going on. "I felt so alone! There was no one to whom I could turn. In desperation I left everything and sailed for France. Those months were miserable. I had friends, but they had gone abroad for pleasure. I kept to myself and mourned. Yes, it was a dreadful winter. I think I am fairly brave, John, but I have never been so unhappy!"

"My dear, if this hurts you, don't go on—"

"But I must, John. I want you to understand. Besides telling it—to you—doesn't hurt. It helps! After I came back to New York I made a new effort to forget myself. I told myself that what was past was past and I must carry on. There were business affairs to tend to. Then you came to see me—with Celia."

Evelyn paused dramatically.

"From that first night you came to see me everything has been different. I felt that here was someone who needed me. Here was something to which I could give myself. I was trying to make dear little Celia happy, so I gathered young people about. Their laughter and brightness were the very things I needed. Don't you see? What I've tried to do for Celia—and for you—has given me a new life. I'm alone no longer because I have—"

The noiselessly moving waiter was at Mrs. Parsons's side. He held a tray of muffins shrouded in napkins.

"Will you have a muffin, madam?"

What Evelyn Parsons would have liked to do with that tray of muffins may be guessed. The fine climax of her dramatic scene had been ruined by a plate of bakery stuff.

She looked up startled. If there was a glint of fire in her blue eyes only the waiter saw it. Then, with an effort, Evelyn controlled herself.

"No muffins," she said.

Mitchell helped himself to the hot bread and the waiter moved away.

"What you've told me is a wonderful lesson," he said slowly. "But it is more than that. It's the record of a beautiful spirit. Your love for Dwight will be enshrined in a multitude of unselfish deeds for others."

Evelyn stirred.

"Dwight?" she said. Then, catching herself, she added quickly, "Oh, of course."

If this was an odd speech from a widow of ten months Mitchell did not notice it. He was fishing his coffee. When he put down his cup he seemed to look at his companion with a new interest.

"Evelyn," he said, "you're a wonderful woman."

(To Be Continued).

Colwood

A jolly party was held Monday evening when Mr. and Mrs. A. Cockburn and the Misses Alexina and Georgina Cockburn entertained about twenty guests, among the number being Mr. Cockburn's sister from Tacoma. The party was held to celebrate the winning of the bride's cake by Miss Cockburn at the leap year dance in Colwood Hall Friday evening.

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"Pagan Lady," a John Francis Dillon production, is splendidly directed by Dillon from a well-knit and perfectly dialogued screen play by Benjamin Glazer. The original play, by William DuBois, provided Lenore Ulric with one of her most successful stage roles and was a hit of the New York season last year. It makes an exceptionally forceful screen drama.

KEN MAYNARD AT PLAYHOUSE

Suspense, action, thrills, dare-devil riding stunts, a romantic love story and some extraordinary western backgrounds are the outstanding features of the new Tiffany Production Incorporated western thriller, "Alias, The Bad Man," starring Ken Maynard, now playing at the Playhouse Theatre.

Aiding Maynard in his work is his famous horse, Tarzan, the trained mount that has been identified with the star for the past six years. In the supporting cast are Virginia Brown Faire, Frank Mayo, Irving Bacon and Charles King.

DOMINION THEATRE

Even Greta Garbo has to wait when a cow gets on the railroad tracks.

Scenes between Miss Garbo and Clark Gable, her leading man, were scheduled for 9 o'clock one morning during filming of "Susan Lenox, Her Fall and Rise," now showing at the Dominion Theatre. Gable, week-ending in San Francisco, was due to arrive in Hollywood at 7 a.m. on the night train.

On the way south, however, a freight train struck a cow that would not budge, overturning several cars. Gable's train had to wait until wrecking crews cleared away the debris and it was after noon hour when he showed up to make love to Miss Garbo as scheduled.

Ex-mayor Gives Flag To School

When pupils of the Boys' Central School march out on Monday mornings hereafter to comply with Hon. Joshua Hinchliffe's flag-saluting order, they will be able to salute a handsome Union Jack presented to the school by an old-boy.

Ex-Mayor J. Carl Pendray, a former student of the Central School, has offered to supply the institution with a flag. Trustee W. C. Moresby, K.C., informed the School Board yesterday evening. The offer was accepted with thanks by the trustees.

As a general rule the Department of Education supplies the flags for the early morning saluting ceremonies.

Lloyd George In Unusual Position

London, Feb. 11.—Rt. Hon. David Lloyd George yesterday encountered legal trouble, and until it is cleared up he can not take his seat in the Commons.

It seems his election agents failed to make the formal declaration required in the return of the former Prime Minister's campaign expenses in the last general election. Mr. Lloyd George said he would apply immediately to the High Court for a waiver of the formality.

A. M. Scott Of Toronto Injured

Toronto, Feb. 11.—Arthur M. Scott, head of the group insurance department of the Canada Life Assurance Company, sustained severe head injuries when his automobile crashed head on into a street car early today. At the hospital, where he was taken, it was said there was little chance for his recovery.

Valentine Tea, auspices volunteer Bible Class, First United Church, Y.W.C.A., Saturday, February 13, 3 to 6 p.m. Proceeds for under-privileged children. ***

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ON THE SCREEN

Dominion—"Susan Lenox, Her Fall and Rise," starring Greta Garbo.

Capitol — "Pagan Lady," with Evelyn Brent.

Columbia—"The Deadline," starring Buck Jones.

Playhouse—Ken Maynard, in "Alias the Bad Man."

Romano—"The Bad Man," with Walter Huston.

Empire — "Stamboul," a British picture.

STAGE

Crystal Garden—Swimming, Dancing, Badminton.

HORSES STAR AT COLUMBIA

While space does not permit motion picture producers to give screen credit to their animal actors, it seems a shame that these creatures can not come in for their share of the credit. In "The Deadline," showing to-day at the Columbia Theatre, with Buck Jones in the leading role, there are some beautiful horses which materially aid in the success of the picture. To start with, there is Buck's own favorite mount, "Silver," a highly intelligent stallion that is Buck's special pal. Then there are fifteen other beautiful Arab horses ridden in the picture that come from the famous Kellogg ranch where, it is claimed, are the finest pure-bred Arabians in America.

"THE BAD MAN" AT THE ROMANO

A notable cast of comedians has been gathered in "The Bad Man," the first National and Vitaphone version of Porter Emerson Browne's famous play.

There are only two roles in the picture that do not call for comedy.

Walter Huston plays the lead—the part of the gay and humorous killer, Pancho Lopez.

O. P. Heggie is a tremendous fun-maker as the crabby old uncle in the wheel chair.

Marion "Peanuts" Byron, Guinn "Big Boy" Williams, Arthur Stone and Johnny Arthur are among those in the cast gathered by Director Clarence Badger. "The Bad Man" is showing at the Romano Theatre.

EMPIRE THEATRE

Warwick Ward, who plays the lead in "Stamboul," running at the Empire Theatre to-morrow, made his first great hit with Emil Jannings in the big film production, "Vaudeville." This picture established the fame of both these artists overnight.

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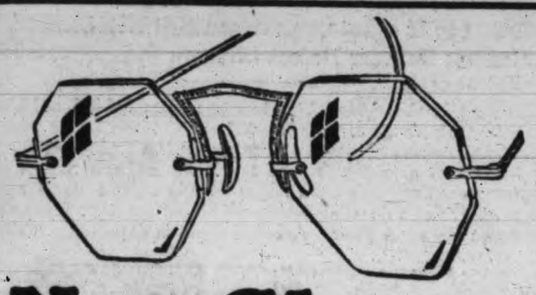

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OBITUARY

Funeral services for George Bissenden, who was accidentally killed yesterday, will be held on Saturday afternoon from McCall Bros.' Funeral Home, proceeding to St. Luke's Church, Cedar Hill, where Rev. S. Ryall will conduct the services at 2 o'clock. Military honors will be accorded the deceased, who was a veteran of the Great War. He was also a member of the Sons of England. Interment will be in St. Luke's Cemetery.

Funeral services were held yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Sands Mortuary Chapel for Mrs. Sarah Jane Bragg, who passed away at her home, 1407 Balmoral Road. Many relatives and friends attended the service, which was conducted by Rev. J. C. Switzer. The casket was covered with many beautiful flowers. The hymns "Safe in the Arms of Jesus" and "On the Resurrection Morn," were sung. The following acted as pallbearers: William Norman, J. G. Pringle, H. Parker, William Millard, Ernest E. Bragg and E. H. Bragg. The remains were laid to rest in Ross Bay Cemetery.

Funeral services were held yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the United Church, Sidney, for Miss Bernice Brethour, who passed away in Vancouver last Sunday. The cortege left the Sands Mortuary at 1.15 o'clock. Many relatives and friends attended the service, and the casket was covered with beautiful floral offerings. Rev. Thomas Keyworth officiated, during which two hymns, "Lead, Kindly Light" and "Safe in the Arms of Jesus," were sung. Those acting as pallbearers were: R. B. Brethour, W. Munroe, W. R. John, E. Braden, A. Wilson and G. E. McLean. Interment was in the Brethour Cemetery.

There passed peacefully away yesterday afternoon after only a very short illness at the family residence, 2118 Granite Street, Mrs. Maria Elizabeth Holmes. Mrs. Holmes was born at Ingersoll, Ontario, and came to this city three years ago from Nelson, B.C. She leaves her husband, Joseph W. Holmes, at the family residence, one son, Joseph Walley Holmes, Montreal; four sisters, Mrs. George Clark, Nelson, B.C.; Mrs. A. D. Emery, Nelson, B.C.; Mrs. W. J. Chisholm, Ifley, Sask., and Mrs. O. E. Robinson, Ingersoll, Ont., and three brothers, John and Fred Walley, Ingersoll, Ontario; Frank Walley, St. Thomas, Ontario. The remains are resting at the S. J. Curry and Son Funeral Home. Announcement of funeral will be made later.

Word has been received of the death in Los Angeles of William Exton, aged fifty-three years, a former resident of this city. Mr. Exton came to Victoria about 1906, and lived here until 1924, when he went to Los Angeles. He is survived by his widow, four sons and one daughter in Los Angeles; his mother, five brothers, Edward, Alfred, Ernest, George and Jack, and three sisters, Mrs. E. Peters, Mrs. R. Simons and Mrs. W. Stranix, all of Victoria.

Funeral services for Mrs. Fanny McVicar Garner, who passed away Wednesday, will be held to-morrow afternoon at 3.30 o'clock from the S. J. Curry and Son Funeral Home. Rev. F. Comley will officiate, and interment will be in Royal Oak Burial Park.

The funeral of John Watkins, who passed away last Sunday, was held Wednesday afternoon, the cortege proceeding from the S. J. Curry and Son Funeral Home to Christ Church Cathedral where service was conducted at 2.30 o'clock. Rev. A. M. Acheson-Lyle officiated in the presence of many friends. Interment was in Royal Oak Burial Park. The following acted as pallbearers: D. A. Hendry and C. D. Munn, representing the I.O.O.F., H. Stancil, W. N. Lancaster, D. Fowles and W. Ashley.

Yesterday afternoon at 3.30 o'clock the funeral service was conducted for Susannah Mary Trimen. The cortege left Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel, proceeding to St. Barnabas's Church, where Rev. N. E. Smith conducted the service at 3.45 o'clock, in the presence of relatives and many friends. Two hymns were sung, "Rock of Ages" and "Gentle Jesus, Meek and Mild." Many beautiful floral tributes covered the casket and hearse. Interment was in Ross Bay Cemetery. The following acted as pallbearers, G. B. Kitto, H. M. S. Bell, F. Boiston and F. Lewin.

The death took place yesterday evening of Chan Lay, aged sixty-one years. He was born in Lun Way, Canton, China, and had been a resident of Victoria for thirty years, his late residence being at 723 Pisgard Street. The remains are resting at Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel, where the funeral will take place on Friday at 1.30 p.m. Interment will be in the Chinese Cemetery.

The funeral of Frederick Armour Irvine took place yesterday afternoon from McCall Bros.' Funeral Home. Rev. S. Ryall conducted the service, during which the hymns "Abide With Me" and "Nearer, My God, to Thee," were sung. Interment was in St. Luke's churchyard. The following acted as pallbearers: C. Johns, S. H. Okell, F. C. Armstrong, C. V. McConnell, Dr. Hugh Clarke and W. Carroll.

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NEWS IN BRIEF

An executive meeting of the Veterans of France will be held at 8 o'clock this evening.

For driving to the common danger on Yates Street, a motorist was fined $20 in the City Police Court this morning.

Henry Reifel, president of the Vancouver Breweries Limited, is in the city to-day from Vancouver and registered at the Empress Hotel. Beer production, he said, was down 30 per cent.

Ex-mayor Herbert Anscomb was welcomed back to membership in the Rotary Club this afternoon. He was introduced by Rev. M. W. J. Bruce. Alex. Stewart was welcomed as a new member when introduced by A. V. Clarke.

The federal government's civil service wage cut was described as "crazy economy" by G. C. McGreer, K.C., in an address to the Professional Engineers' Club in Vancouver yesterday. "It makes the vicious circle of diminishing purchasing power complete," he said.

The Oaklands Parent-teacher Association will hold its monthly meeting Friday night at 8 o'clock in the school auditorium. J. G. Brown will give his illustrated travelogue on England and Scotland. There will also be musical numbers.

Personal experiences in the danger spots of Central Europe will be told by Capt. H. G. Scott of Red Deer, Alberta, to the United Services Institution of Vancouver Island at a special meeting in the institution rooms, 1218 Langley Street, at 8.30 o'clock tonight.

An electrical power tax such as is imposed in Ontario has been under the consideration of the B.C. Government for the last year, Hon. J. W. Jones said yesterday in reply to questions. No forecast of the government's attitude was made by the minister.

Miss Frances Moren of Vancouver will speak at the Labor Hall, Courtney Street, on Sunday evening at 8 o'clock on "Birth Control in Its Economic Aspects." Miss Moren, who was recently in Russia, has studied the subject there, as she has both in Britain and in this country.

Making a periodical visit to the city, William G. Murrin, president of the British Columbia Electric Railway Company, crossed from Vancouver by the night steamer and is staying at the Empress Hotel. He conferred with A. T. Goward, vice-president of the company, during the forenoon.

A well attended meeting was held at the Tolmie High School Tuesday evening for the purpose of organizing a Parent-Teacher Association to be known as the Mountview Parent-Teacher Association. A meeting will be held at Tolmie High School February 18 at 8 p.m. when officers will be elected.

Restoration of per capita grants to farmers' institutes; a reduction in motor license fees; increase in the stumping powder rebates from $2 to $2.50 a box, and a number of other requests are being considered by the committee of the advisory board preparing a draft of recommendations to be made to the government.

The Women's Auxiliary to the Tuberculous Veterans will hold a silver tea to-morrow afternoon, from 2.30 till 5.30 o'clock, at the home of Mrs. Standerwick, 1871 Fern Street, to raise funds for their work in connection with the T.V.A. Anyone interested in tubercular work will be welcome.

The annual Father and Son banquet of the Metropolitan United Church will be held in the schoolroom, commencing at 6.15 o'clock to-morrow night. A dramatic play will be presented by members of the boys' groups and the McVie Singers will render Scotch songs. R. J. C. Smith will be in charge of the affair.

Edgar Wall, of London, representing a British syndicate will arrive from England next week to discuss purchase of the P.G.E. Railway with the B.C. Government. The deal which is reported to have been pending for some months calls for the extension of the line into the Peace River country. Details of the scheme are not being made public.

An interesting lecture on "Ancient and Modern China" was given by C. Macleod and F. Wheeley before a large attendance of members of the Centennial Young People's Society Tuesday evening. The lecture was illustrated by lantern slides. At the next meeting the "talkies" will be debated by teams now being formed.

Arrangements for the annual tour of parks under the jurisdiction of the Victoria-Saanich Parks and Beaches committee were made at a meeting of the body yesterday afternoon. The trip will be made next Tuesday morning, leaving the City Hall at 10 o'clock. Gorge Park, Mount Douglas Park, Elk Lake and Beaver Lake are among the sites which will be visited.

The B.C. Government has definitely rejected the proposal advanced by H. D. Twigg, M.P.P., for support of the lumber industry it was learned yesterday. Mr. Twigg's plan, modelled on that adopted by the Quebec government, called for government underwriting of bank loans to the lumber industry to the extent of $2,000,000 or $3,000,000, with the cut lumber and assets of lumber companies as security.

News has been received from Los Angeles of the death in that city of Clinton A. Harris, aged sixty-seven years. He was well known in British Columbia during the Klondike gold rush days and after. He was a keen sportsman and in harness racing days owned a stable of trotting horses which appeared in Victoria and Vancouver. He owned and operated hotels in Victoria and Seattle before moving to Los Angeles.

A concert and entertainment will be sponsored by the choir of Oak Bay United Church on Friday evening at 8 o'clock, in the school auditorium. The programme will open with a one-act play, "A Bargain's a Bargain." Items will be contributed by Mr. and Mrs. Harold Groves, society entertainers; a ladies' chorus, Chris Miller, violinist, and Reuben Hardy, elocutionist. A good attendance is expected.

Reduction in the appropriations of the Department of Agriculture in the coming year will not be made at the expense of necessary pest control services, it was stated at the Parliament Buildings yesterday. While no official statement of the probable appropriations of the department can be expected at this time, it is understood that estimates in the Department of Agriculture will show a drop of 50 per cent from what they were two years ago and some $90,000 less than last year's figures, which totaled $339,450.

OUTLOOK CALLS FOR COURAGE

Ira Dilworth Sees Bright Prospects Awaiting Youth Of To-day

Tells Rotary Club Fathers and Sons to Have Brave Hearts

"Father and Son Day" was celebrated this afternoon by the Rotary Club, a large number of the members bringing their sons to the weekly luncheon at the Empress Hotel.

Ira Dilworth, principal of the Victoria High School, in an address, reviewed the problems facing two generations. He considered the current period one of difficulty and commented: "Were it said that the present age is the most extraordinary recorded in history, the statement would not be far from the truth."

Mr. Dilworth recalled that when he was a lad it was fairly easy to foresee a vocational path for a boy. The outlook now was much more difficult but the age carried within it an enormous challenge.

"When the world went through the crisis of the French Revolution the whole outlook seemed beclouded to the best observers," he recalled.

"The present age is a glorious period because of its opportunities. Rupert Brooke, when the Great War broke out, commented: 'Thank God for this hour; it has stabbed us alive.' That was a terrible thing to say, but likewise this situation to-day is one of incentive to the rising generation," Mr. Dilworth said.

COURAGE ESSENTIAL

"We can say we are faced with a glorious world, in which we are greatly privileged to be alive. But we can only say that if we are imbued with courage. We are so prone to say: 'This British Empire of which we are a part is rolling to its close.' If we let that idea lie long enough in the back of our heads we will have nothing but bitterness with which to meet the world," continued the speaker.

"But if we will say to ourselves: 'This is but a phase of progress,' if we put our hands to the work and help to drive the world through this phase, matters will be well with us all."

PEACE OF MIND

Mr. Dilworth said parents were afraid of life, they looked with fear on the prospect before their sons, but they had in their own hands the means to peace of mind. He stressed the importance of training in right living and thinking, saying: "Play the game, not to win but for that subtler thing, peace of mind. That success comes to the man who plays the game fairly and squarely."

ANCIENT ALLEGORY

Addressing the elders he likened life to the torch races of old Greece, in which the runners of each team passed on a trophy, a torch, which had to be carried with great skill to maintain the fire.

"I cannot think of any better symbol of life to-day than that scene, with this little condition, that when the sons take the torch of civilization from the hands of their fathers their hands shall be strong enough and trained enough to carry on that torch," he said, appealing to parents and sons alike to be courageous in their outlook on life and world progress.

He quoted Sir James M. Barrie, when inducted as rector of St. Andrew's College, as urging boys to insist upon coming in and helping, as glorious years were ahead if they chose to make them glorious.

"And so I say to you, in these sad, demented, difficult days, 'Forward, brave heart,'" he concluded.

Vivian Shoemaker reviewed the work of the Rotary group of boys at the Y.M.C.A., which now includes twenty-two lads. The boys' work committee of the club had performed a helpful work by aiding the boys, he stated.

WRESTLING BOUTS

Two wrestling bouts were enjoyed by the gathering. Chuck Sharpe took one fall from Jimmy Yates in three rounds, winning the first round with a flying scissors. F. Loeffler and P. Tyson battled two four-minute rounds without a fall. George Lovatt refereed the bouts.

REV. W. BEATTIE NOW AT NANAIMO

Nanaimo, Feb. 11.—Rev. Walter Beattie of Snohomish, Wash., arrived in the city on Monday to take over the pastorate of St. Andrew's Presbyterian congregation. The new minister, with Mrs. Beattie and Miss Kathleen Beattie, was given a hearty welcome at the Manse by members of the congregation, the Manse having been renovated throughout and reshingled by the help of the Ladies' Aid and others.

Mr. Beattie will occupy the pulpit next Sunday.

A quarter of mutton, the gift of Charles B. Jones, sheep rancher of New Zealand, was this afternoon presented to the Rotary Club by Charles H. French. The gift was to be a prize for attendance. J. P. Watson, president, and Alderman James Adam, had equal scores and shared the gift. Mr. Jones was formerly in business in Victoria and served a term as reeve of Saanich.

T. O. Mackay this afternoon urged members of the Rotary Club who were golfers to enter the Empress midwinter golf tournament, opening February 22 at the Colwood Golf Club. He commented that, had the tournament not been organized by the Canadian Pacific Railway, the Victoria Rotary Club might have been called upon to undertake the burden of arranging it.

At the initial meeting of the year yesterday evening H. C. Oldfield was elected chairman of the Royal Oak Burial Park board of trustees. Alderman John A. Worthington was chosen vice-president and the following committees were named: Finance, Alderman H. O. Litchfield and Alderman W. D. Todd; grounds, H. C. Oldfield, Alderman Worthington and Councillor Fred Borden.

The first session in the trial of Mabel Mills, and her husband, Leonard C. Mills against Aaron Gent over the tenancy of the Gent residence at 723 Wilson Street and the financing of the purchase of Mrs. Mills's sports roadster got under way before Judge Lampman to-day with C. L. Harrison as counsel for the Mills and Roy Manzer defending Mr. Gent. The judge gave permission for a counter-claim to be added to the trial and adjourned it until February 24 to give the lawyers time to adjust their cases.

WILL BROADCAST WAGNER CYCLE

The first broadcast of the Metropolitan Opera Company's annual Wagner Cycle will take place at noon to-morrow, when the second act of Tannhauser" will be heard over an NBC-WLZ coast-to-coast network. Succeeding Wagner operas will be broadcast on February 18, February 26, March 3, March 11 and March 17. This series is in addition to the regular Saturday broadcasts and will probably be carried by KJR, Seattle.

PRINTERS HAVE FIRST BIRTHDAY

Take-off of "Spotlight Revue" Feature of Anniversary Celebration

Members of the Victoria Club of Printing House Craftsmen and their lady friends held their first birthday party at the Sons of England Hall yesterday evening. Some 150 people were present. G. A. A. Hebden gave an extensive and interesting review of the printing industry from its inception up to the present day.

The feature event of the evening took the form of a take-off of "The Spotlight Revue," the Saturday night radio network feature. Charles Banfield, the King's Printer, as Professor Nicholbine, conducted a series of questions in the form of "The Question Box." The first question, "Why is pen ruling not as extensively used as it might be?" was answered by Sid Carr, representing Spud McGuire.

"QUESTION BOX"

Other questions and their answers were: "Why rough paper is not suitable for half-tone printing?", answered by Tom Scott, as Ikey Gavinsky; "Why half-tone cuts fill up with ink?", answered by Fred Larrsen, as Saucy Little; "How many casts is an advertising service mat good for?" answered by Harry Jealouse, as I Should Sockitoyousky; "Why do bosses promise work they know they cannot give at the time promised?", answered by the professor himself in what the gathering agreed was an unsatisfactory way.

The visitors present found these questions to be interesting and informative, especially the proprietor who discovered the problems faced by those off whom they order cuts.

Among the members attending the club's first anniversary was Munro Miller, one of the "Old Contemptibles" of the printing industry in Victoria.

The balance of the evening was spent enjoyably in dancing, cards and refreshments.

CHINA APPEALS TO THE POWERS

Organizations Urge League Council to Swing Japan To Peace

Nanking, Feb. 11.—The Chinese National Government to-day announced outstanding Chinese public organizations, including the National Federation of Chambers of Commerce, had issued an appeal to the League of Nations Council and to the governments of Great Britain, the United States, France and Italy, asking them to insist on acceptance by the Japanese of the peace proposals already made by the powers.

China has accepted the proposals for the truce, but Japan declined to accept most of them.

"If Japan chooses to flout the considered opinions of the interested powers," the Foreign Office said in its note of appeal, "proper and effective measures should be taken to enforce the restoration of peace."

News of Clubwomen

Carne Rebekah—The regular meeting of Carne Rebekah Lodge No. 45 will be held in the Oddfellows' Hall on Friday night at 8 o'clock sharp. After the business session of the lodge a social evening will be enjoyed, consisting of a short musical programme, followed by moving pictures depicting scenes in British Columbia. These pictures are shown by courtesy of the Canadian National Railways. A cordial invitation is extended to members of all branches of the order and their friends to be present. The programme will commence at 9 o'clock.

Cathedral Parish Guild—The monthly meeting of the Women's Parish Guild, Christ Church, will be held to-morrow at 2.30 o'clock.

St. Joseph's W.A.—The Ladies' Auxiliary to St. Joseph's Hospital will hold its regular monthly meeting to-morrow afternoon at 2.30 o'clock in the sewing room at the hospital.

Lodge to Meet—Lodge Primrose No. 32, D.O.E., will meet in S.O.E. Hall, Broad Street, to-morrow, at 8 o'clock. Visiting members are welcome.

James Bay P.-T.A.—James Bay P.-T.A. will hold a valentine tea in South Park School to-morrow at 3 o'clock. Mrs. Ockenden, the president, has a fine programme arranged. Mrs. Day, social convener, has the refreshments in hand and Mrs. Phelps the decorations.

Victoria West Y.P.A.—Victoria West Y.P.A. held a leap year-Valentine social Wednesday evening. The guests of the evening were the C.G.I.T. group of the church. The evening was spent in the playing of many games. During the evening three "murders" were committed, but the "district attorney" easily caught the culprits. The social was brought to a close by singing and the serving of refreshments. Among those at the gathering were: Misses Evelyn Martin, Kay McIntyre, Bessie Robertson, Delia Hollins, Beth Dilworth, Marjorie Waller, Nellie Lanasall, Dolly Burgess, Messrs. Bob Trousdale, Arthur Wright, Harvey Michaelson, P. Jones, Harry Youson, Lawrence Ward, Bill Lewis, James Brown and Frank Hollins.

BARNYARD TRIO TRIAL CONCLUDES

Sheriff's Lawyer Concerned Over Feed Bill of Mare, Cow and Colt Under Seizure

After an all-morning argument and summing up by the lawyers, following taking of evidence yesterday, the trial of the suit of Scott and Peden against John Marshman, Holloway Street, for the possession of one mare, one cow and one colt seized by Sheriff Goggin on Christie and Breadins's Bunker Hill dairy farm, Maplewood Road, Saanich, came to a close at 1 o'clock this afternoon, before Judge Lampman.

The trial involves the claim of Mr. Marshman for $1,370 wages owing by the Breadin Dairy and to satisfy which the sheriff's men proceeded to the farm to seize the dairy herd, only to find they had been taken by Scott and Peden for a $1,600 feed bill owing them. The sheriff's forces, however, found a mare, cow and colt, and they seized them for Mr. Marshman. Scott and Peden, however, claimed they owned this trio of animals, which had been on the sick list and left behind, as well as those driven off, all being covered by a bill of sale executed by the Breadins. For the possession of this trio of barnyard invalids, the legal battle has been waged.

After D. S. Tait, counsel for Scott and Peden, and C. J. Prior, counsel for Mr. Marshman, had concluded their arguments and addresses, W. H. Bullock-Webster, counsel for Sheriff Goggin, stepped into the case.

"This mare, cow and colt are being fed at the expense of the sheriff, who has a man looking after them and he has had to buy a supply of hay and oats with which to feed them," said Mr. Bullock-Webster. He asked the judge to take note of this situation when he comes to settle the matter of costs of the whole affair in his judgment.

Among the final witnesses on the stand were John Denis Macdonald, Francis H. Davey, John W. Stobart, Harold Marshman, John Peden, John Breadin and Archibald J. Christie.

The judge said he would reserve his decision.

DENTAL WORK PAYS PROFIT

Dr. H. E. Young Tells Saanich School Dentist Reduces Retardation in Studies

Dr. H. E. Young, secretary of the provincial Board of Health, yesterday evening appealed to the Saanich Health Centre committee to refuse to eliminate dental services from the Saanich schools. He told a special session of the committee, which includes representatives of the council and the school board, that the saving of $900 to be made by eliminating the dentist would be offset several times over by the retardation of students which would certainly ensue.

The conference took place behind closed doors, Reeve Crouch intervening to order the newspaper reporters from the room before the chairman, Councillor Fred Borden, could give a decision from the chair.

Dr. Young told the trustees present that they were in error in their view that they could not direct the work of the dentist, who could be ordered to visit a different school every day if the trustees desired. There had been complaint that two urban schools had enjoyed benefit for months at a time while other schools were not being visited at all.

Dr. Young said the Health Department grant to the Health Centre had last year been $3,000 under two heading, $1,500 cash and the salary of one of the nurses. He could give no estimate as to what would be allotted the institution this year, having no information yet as to the amount of money proposed to be voted his department.

Regarding the government assistance towards the salaries of the dentist and other nurses, the committee was reminded that these grants were made by the Department of Education and would be eligible for the same reduced grant as that to be allowed for teachers, a refund of 52 per cent of the salaries paid.

No decision was arrived at regarding the proposal to close the Health Centre building and carry on the municipal health promotion work from an office in the municipal hall. The matter was discussed at length, but action was deferred until this evening. The committee will meet at 7 o'clock, one hour prior to the joint conference on salaries to be held between the council, the trustees and the police commission.

YOUNG PEOPLE OF ESQUIMALT MEET

Yesterday being Ash Wednesday, the A.Y.P.A. at St. Paul's attended the service in the St. Paul's Garrison Church with twenty-seven members present.

Following the service the members held a short business meeting in the Parish Hall. The president, Harvey Dobson, reported on the recent Local Council meeting in Victoria, and stated that the affiliation of St. Paul's branch to the Local Council had been accepted. Miss Mabel Sanders was elected delegate to the Local Council.

The next meeting of the branch will be held on February 17 at 8 o'clock, when after a short service S. C. Hawkins, Dominion vice-president of the A.Y.P.A., will install the officers.

WOULD CHANGE FISHERIES ACT

Ottawa, Feb. 11.—Amendments to the Fisheries Act now before the Commons for consideration, would provide, among other things, that cancellations of fishery licenses will be made by the department without a report from a commissioner appointed under the Inquiries Act, as at present. Hon. Alfred Duranleau, explaining the bill to amend and consolidate the Fisheries Act, said that as the main object of licensing those engaged in certain proper control over them, the requirements of an inquiry by commissioner nullified the usefulness of the power to cancel.

The amendments also provide that when in certain instances dams are built in streams where an ordinary fishway would be too steep to enable young fish to pass through safely, the owner of the dam must provide adequate hatchery facilities.

"Scandinavian Art" will be the subject of an address by Professor P. A. Boving, of the University of British Columbia, before the University Extension Society to-night. The public is invited to attend.

FRANK WILSON CAN APPEAL

Kelowna Boy Sentenced to Two Years to Go Before Court in Vancouver

Frank Wilson, a Kelowna boy, was given leave to appeal his sentence of two years in the penitentiary for having house-breaking tools, by Chief Justice J. A. Macdonald of the Court of Appeal yesterday. Wilson's appeal will be heard at the sitting of the Court of Appeal in Vancouver next month.

C. H. O'Halloran, who appeared for T. G. Norris, of Kelowna, counsel for Wilson, gave details of the methods adopted in arresting Wilson by former Chief of Police Murdock, of Kelowna, and Miss Genevieve Lalonde Nolan. Murdock was committed for trial on a charge of murder. Miss Nolan is alleged to have been murdered by Murdock.

The appeal against the sentence and conviction of Judge Swanson is based on the character of the evidence against Wilson brought by Murdock and Miss Nolan.

The chief justice was told that Miss Nolan had taken Wilson to a hotel in Kelowna where she got him to tell where a quantity of stolen diamonds were alleged to be hidden, and how he had got these by using a device for prying combinations from safes.

Mr. O'Halloran claimed that while Miss Nolan was getting information from Wilson Murdock and another male police officer were in the room above with their ears in a ventilator connection which was arranged so they could hear everything that went on in the room.

The police case of Murdock and Miss Nolan made the claim that following the admission made by Wilson, the safe-breaking device was found on the outskirts of Kelowna. It was also alleged that Wilson made a drawing of the hiding place of the diamonds, but he did not give it to Miss Nolan. Wilson was sentenced on January 12 and a few days later the shooting of Miss Nolan took place.

Overnight Entries For New Orleans

First race—Six furlongs: Ivan W., 115; Princess Nancy, 110; Tennywood, 110; Palomar, 115; Royal Riot, 105; Elkhart, 110; Beggar Lady, 105; Circus Parade, 110; Cloido, 105; Strathcona, 115; K. Russell, 110; Cherry Heart, 110; Knight Club, 110; Premediatto, 105; Run On, 110; Gloria Sharpe, 110; Little Marcelle, 105; Bunting Lad, 115; White Toes, 105 and Trim 110.

Second race—Mile and one eighth: Mad A. 103; Santa Sophia, 110; Alamae, 106; Lady Sweet, 108; Miss Mac, 108; Lady Messenger, 113; Florence Dolan, 116; Beauty Secret, 108; Supertoy, 113; My Toots, 103; Henado, 108; Primeval, 113; Sweep Past, 113; Miss Maryland, 113; Owlla, 111; Prudy Basil, 103 and Flying Wings, 113.

Third race—Three furlongs: Esco Run, 116; Marion E., 113; Boston Waters, 115; Baldy Tinker, 113; Paint Box, 108; Fountain, 105; Fair Image, 110; Crucial Test, 113; Moma Polly, Peat Alaros, 115; Miss Delight, 110; Toxey, 110; Norman P., 113; Stately Lady, 115; Charley B., 113; Chantenuta, 110; Belle Delight, 110; Just Umber, 110; The Hub, 110; and Manesa, 115.

Fourth race—Six furlongs: Chu Chu 101, Stimulator 118, Booby Bird 108, Pietro 105, Boons 113, Open Hearth 114, Hurawaw 111.

Fifth race—One mile handicap: The Wig 100, Old Sol 103, Prose and Poetry 113, Brains 109, Wise Win 111, Louis Merryman 100, Sergt. Donaldson 108, Quatre Bras II 113, Black Fool 108, Prince Atheling 106, Bar Hunter 113, Hippias 103, Englewood 103, My Sweets 103.

Sixth race—Mile and sixteenth: Titus 113, Finger Tips 100, Bernice Van 103, J. George 100, Peace Lady 103, Polly's Folly 105, Stop Gap 103, Finnic 108.

Seventh race—Mile and eighth: Patti Kate 113, Agnes Sorel 113, Kelly's Pride 111, Lena M. 108, Lady Beinville 108, Burnt Brown 113, Beautiful Doll 108, Interior 111, Oh Yean 111, Belen 108, Princess Slim 100, Sunnyport 113, Traumel 111, Mai San 108, Trop of Dawn 108, Little Toots 108.

Overnight Entries For Agua Caliente

First race—Six furlongs: Moane Kela, 109; Cerasus Lady, 109; Memorial Day, 114; Queen Ann, 109; Shorty O., 111; Runanwin, 102; Master Plumber, 101; Released, 109; Satin Princess, 104.

Second race—Six furlongs: Diggins, 107; Centre March, 110; Speedy Charlie, 109; Chatter On, 107; Marvina, 103; Ogygia, 110 and Lordvale, 107.

Third race—Six furlongs: Lakeland, 111; Kind Words, 111; Dominant Star, 100; Harshaw, 114; Altavar, 114; Valley Queen, 02; Eighteen-sixty, 116; Bud Elder, 113 and Bafflorette, 109.

Fourth race—Six furlongs: Silverman, 114; Clarabel A, 105; Morrol, 107; Desjardines, 110; Graceland, 114 and Shasta Snow, 110.

Fifth race—Mile and one-sixteenth: Trossachs, 105; Sailor Boy, 110; King Lo, 107; Paige, 107; Baptiste, 107; Ah Pet, 107; Homewood, 110; Shaver, 105; Elmonte, 107; Umerian Princess, 105 and Doublechin, 107.

Sixth race—Six furlongs: Cash Play 114, Lol 104, Willow Bramble 109, Verderale 109, Ah Degbah 111, Friars Choice 111, Wee Tot 111, Laddie 111, Sun Thrills 114.

Seventh race—Mile and one-sixteenth: Gnome II 107, Magic Light 107, Our Joan 105, Kuakini 111, The Cyrenian 107, Spanish Girl 95, Beaver Boy 114, Miss Asama 99, Billy Krippen 114.

Substitute race—Seven furlongs: Chief Engineer 107, Book Ends 105, Devolta 110, Catty 105, Jane McCaw 105, Carus Clarus 107, Escoba Prize 107, Susu 105, Adalaide N 105, Caplet 112, Coalingo 107, Wooden Soldier 107, Tab 107, Joji 111, Figueroa 112.

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Set World Records at Lake Placid But Fail to Win Events

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Winnipegs Proving Capable Defenders of Canada's Hockey Honors

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Art Gave Paolino Uzcudun, Spanish Heavyweight, to the Ring

CANADIAN women speed skaters at the Olympic winter sports appear to be burning themselves out in the heats, and as a result are not coming through in the finals. In the three events held up to the time of writing the Canucks had won only one championship, the 500 metres, although in the other two races, the 1,000 metres and 1,500 metres Mrs. Leila Brooks-Potter, Toronto flash, established two new world records in winning her heats. In the 1,000 Mrs. Brooks-Potter tore around the course in 2 minutes 1 2-10 seconds in the preliminaries, shattering the previous mark by 15 2-10 seconds. In this effort she hurt her back and was unable to do better than fourth in the final. How much better it would have been if she had taken things easy in the preliminaries and just qualified, and then cut loose with everything she had in the final.

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Yesterday Mrs. Brooks-Potter won her way into the finals of the 1,500 metres by setting a new world record of 2 minutes 54 seconds in winning her heat. Then in the final the new record holder fell just before the finish. And on top of this Jean Wilson, Toronto, in winning the first heat of the event also broke the old record for the distance of 3:28 held by Zofya Gehringowa, Poland. Miss Wilson's time of 2:54 1-5, however, fell before the flashing skates of her fellow townswoman in the second heat. And yet in the final Kit Klein wins the title in the remarkably slow time of 3 minutes 3-5 seconds. It looks like the Canadian girls are being outgeneraled in the heats, as their times show them to have much more speed.

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Canada's Olympic hockey supremacy seems in safe hands. It took Winnipegs a little time to establish their superiority but they accomplished the purpose of all hockey games, scoring more goals than their opponents. After being forced into overtime to defeat the United States in the first game the Canadian champions have stepped out and defeated Poland and Germany twice by overwhelming totals. Against the United States the Winnipegs didn't show any great scoring punch, but they came from behind to win. In the best circles this is considered usually a sign of class. It may be assumed that the Americans are a much better team than any previous one carrying their standard in these international games.

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President Frank Calder of the National Hockey League and his associates would do well to consider the tie game situation. After all the sporting public likes to see a decision reached in any contest. A tie game may be a beautiful exhibition of equal skill and stamina, but one leaves the arena with an empty feeling. At the present time there have been twenty-four drawn games in the N.H.L. And then again a number of clubs deliberately play for a tie after a game is forced into overtime. If they are at home they don't want to lose before the friendly crowd, and if away the fans at home will think they did well to gain a tie on their opponent's ice. The clubs work for the one point they receive for a draw.

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It would not be telling an untruth to say that art gave Paolino Uzcudun, Spanish heavyweight, to the ring. He was the local strong boy of his mountain town. He wrestled at local fairs when he began to know his own strength and then set out to make his fortune with his muscles. He went to the big towns but fared badly. He was hungry. He had no money. Even when he got a fight his purse was barely big enough to pay for his food and lodging. But there came a turn in his luck. A famous Spanish painter happened to see Paolino and gave him a job as a model. The painter had a son to whom Paolino became boxing instructor. When the youngster was sent to Paris Paolino went along as a bodyguard. That was the real break. In Paris he went to gymnasiums and offered himself as a sparring partner. Soon he was back in the ring and knocking over all the French heavyweights they could bring against him. The rest is known. Under modern ring conditions, Paolino is just a strong but crude fellow who never will get to the top.

BILLIARDS

Playing in the "C" division of the Interservice Billiard League, the Britannia Post No. 3 team scored a 500 to 306 victory over the Pro Patria No. 4 side yesterday evening.

The scores follow:

Pro Patria C-4		Britannia Post No. 3	
J. McLean	32	T. Plump	125
A. Horn	83	E. Nicholas	125
H. Winter	96	D. Croston	125
E. Fox	95	J. Watt	125
Total	306	Total	500

ED LEWIS WINS

Boston, Feb. 11.—Ed (Strangler) Lewis, claimant to the world's wrestling championship, threw Gino Garibaldi, Italy, two straight falls in the Boston Garden yesterday evening.

A headlock accounted for each fall, the first in 34.05 and the second in 45 seconds.

Tourists' Defence Cracks Wide Open In 38-to-5 Defeat

Canucks Show Strain of Strenuous Tour and Drop One-sided Decision to Japanese "Rep" Squad; Jerry Boone, Toronto, Gets Lone Try for Canada; Japan Led 22 to 5 at Half-time; Canadian Players Tell of Wonderful Treatment Received

Canadian Press

Tokio, Feb. 11—An All-Japan fifteen to-day defeated the touring Canadian English rugby team by a score of 38 to 5 before 25,000 spectators.

The Canadian defence seemed to go to pieces and this spelled their downfall at the end of a strenuous tour, in which they had won five games, and dropped a previous 9-to-8 decision to All-Japan.

In the first half Japan scored through two penalty kicks and four tries, two of which were converted.

Jerry Boone, Toronto, got Canada's lone try in this half, and Len Leroy, Vancouver, converted.

ADD FOUR TRIES

In the second half Japan added four more tries, two of which were converted.

The game was played in ideal weather and the pace was terrific.

The vice-captain, Boone, together with Johnny Rowland, Victoria, and Jack Bain, Vancouver, did good work in the forward line, but the three-quarter tackling was poor with the exception of Ivor Saundry, Vancouver, who was heroic in his attempts to stem the Japanese rush.

The Japanese forwards were strong and their backfield brilliant. Of their lineup, Mishima, Tsushi, Kitano, Ka and Toba, played in Vancouver and Victoria in 1930.

The unbounded hospitality and the omnipresent taxis of Japan seem to have made the greatest impression on the members of the touring Canadian-English rugby team, according to letters received to-day from some of the players.

Len Leroy, Vancouver, captain of the Canadian team, said:

"My mental picture of Japan was entirely upheld. It was apparent the Japanese people are a brave and courageous nation. In the face of adversity they have forged ahead, and with their unfailing hospitality, sportsmanship and patriotism, they will continue to be one of the greatest nations of the world."

"First impressions of Japan are bewildering," exclaimed the vice-captain, Jerry Boone, of Toronto, "but what strikes me most forcibly are the colorful clothes, tearing taxis and amazingly nimble rugby players."

Manager Harry Lord of Vancouver expressed himself as "greatly impressed by the genuine spirit of fair play and great hospitality as shown by all the people of Japan with whom I have come in contact."

"A copy in minature of England," finds C. W. Suter of Montreal, "but infinitely more interesting with its eastern and western civilizations. Everything is small and neat, in accordance with Japan's people."

HOSPITALITY PLEASES

"The paramount impression" on R. B. Gay of Winnipeg was "the hospitality, politeness and genuine pleasure with which the Japanese people greeted us everywhere. We were much surprised at the commercial life, so up-to-date, and the number of Japanese who speak English."

"The Rugby Union of Japan treated us royally," said E. R. Cox of Montreal. "Our stay in Tokio was most pleasant, and the wonderful things we saw will often be thought of in the future, and the kindness shown us will be long remembered."

Frank Skillings, Victoria, found that "one very appealing quality of the Japanese is the courtesy and gentlemanly way in which they conduct themselves in anything they do."

Eric Cameron, Vancouver: "The Japanese are the most hospitable people I have ever met—always ready for fun, and can appreciate a joke. A very busy race, always looking to find the latest ways in all turns of life."

LOTS OF COLOR

"Crowded streets, lots of color, crazy taxis and bewildering rugby players," was the reaction of E. C. Pinkham, Vancouver.

"First impressions are not always correct, but, nevertheless, have lasting effect," declared Stuart Thompson, official photographer with the tourists. "The most striking thing to my mind is the large area occupied by Tokio, the unemotional character of the citizens, the extreme contrasts in every phase of life and the charming hospitality extended to guests. But, oh, you taxi pirates!"

Neary to Head Twilight League

JACK NEARY

Balance sheets for the season 1930-1931 were read and adopted and officers elected at a meeting of the Twilight Baseball League yesterday. The retiring officers were thanked for the way they had worked under adverse conditions. The officers for the coming season were elected: President, Jack Neary, manager of the National Motor Company team, last year's winners of the A. E. Humphries Cup; vice-president, E. Miles, and Wally Simpson, secretary-treasurer. The new officers look forward to a record season in 1932 as the last year's experience will be of great value to the budding players.

PHAR LAP IS TOP FAVORITE

Australian Wonder Horse Quoted at 3 to 1 to Win Agua Caliente Handicap

Dr. Freeland Is Second Low at 6 to 1; Low Odds Also Offered on Joe Flores

Agua Caliente, Mexico, Feb. 11.—Phar Lap, the Australian race track terror, owned by D. J. Davis, was installed as the top-heavy favorite in the $50,000 Agua Caliente Handicap to-day, when he was listed as a 3 to 1 shot in the track's future book, prepared by Ringmaster Zeke Caress.

The future book offered odds of only even money on Phar Lap to place and 3 to 5 to show, although the race will not be held until March 20, and to date the great red racer has done no more than take a few setting-up exercises since his completion of the 15,000-mile trip from the land down under.

Perhaps the biggest surprise in the future book was the low odds offered on Joe Flores, the Pasadena stable's three-year-old. Phar Lap was given top weight by the handicappers, 129 pounds, while Joe Flores will carry the lowest impost, 90 pounds. The brilliant race the Pasadena stable's colt ran on his first trip out was a three-year-old in beating J. A. Best's Reveille Boy and tough old McGonigle contributed a great deal toward installing him as the third horse in the future books with odds of 8 to 1, 3 to 1 and 3 to 2.

DR. FREELAND LOW

Reveille Boy's odds were the same. Dr. Freeland, Bennie Creech's star, was quoted at second low odds, 6 to 1, 2 to 1 and even money.

Plucky Play, third-place winner last year, was quoted at 15 to 1. The prices ranged up from 1,000 to 1 on several horses, most of which are not at the track and are not in training.

On those nominees, which are at all likely to start, the longest odds was 100 to 1, posted on such horses as Alexander Pantages, Blunder, Ervast, Naisapur, Up and Whippercracker.

Hillcrests And Bays Win Matches

Playing in the third division of the Lower Island Badminton League yesterday evening, the J.B.A.A. scored a 13 to 3 victory over the Y.M.C.A. at the J.B.A.A. At Langford the suburban players suffered a 10 to 6 defeat at the hands of the Hillcrests in a fourth division fixture.

HOPKINS AND GRIFFIN DRAW

Fail to Decide Winner in Main Event of All-star Wrestling Card

Local wrestlers put on a first-class card at the Tillicum gym yesterday evening. In the main event over four rounds "Fat" Griffin and "Manny" Hopkins battled to no fall draw.

Battling at 120 pounds Kirchin defeated Mascall over three rounds, gaining a fall with a body press. Wing Hope defeated Peter Joe, taking falls with a cradle hold and a body press. Joe took a fall in the second round with a body press.

Frank Thomas and Ken Hope drew one fall apiece, while Young Hope defeated Gardiner in straight falls. Young Sonnenberg and Young Sarpolis drew one fall apiece, while Colby defeated Wheeler in straight falls. Previous to the bouts Soence Mathews gave an exhibition of Indian club swinging.

Miracles of Sport — By Robert Edgren

Washington Girls Set Swimming Mark

Everett, Wash., Feb. 11.—A new United States record of 3 minutes, 47 1-5 seconds for the 300-yard women's medley relay swim, was held to-day by the Washington Athletic Club women's team, headed by Helene Madison.

The team made up of Dawn Gibson, backstroke; Neva Whaley, breast stroke, and Miss Madison, free style, upset the old mark here yesterday evening with Miss Madison covering her 100 yards in 60 3-5 seconds.

The former record, three minutes, 50 4-5 seconds, was held by the New York Women's Swimming Association.

SONJA HENIE RETAINS TITLE

Norwegian Champion Dazzles Crowd With Performance in Olympic Figure Skating

Awarding of Crown to Her a Mere Formality; Canadian Girl Finishes Third

Lake Placid, N.Y., Feb. 11.—Sonja Henie, women's skating champion of the world, dazzled a crowd of 3,000 in the Olympic Arena yesterday evening with the brilliance of her free skating as she completed the defence of her Olympic title.

To the crowd the matter of naming the blonde Norwegian girl Olympic titleholder for four more years was merely a formality. For perfection of figure, grace, showmanship and mastery of the most difficult spins and jumps, there appeared to be no real competition, for her in the field of women's figure skating champions from Austria, France, Canada, Great Britain, Sweden and the United States.

The only questions at stake seemed to be ranking behind Sonja.

Fritiz Burger, Austria, was second; Maribel Vinson, Boston, Mass., third, and Mrs. Constance Wilson Samuel, Toronto, representing Canada, fourth.

The other places were: Fifth, Vivi Ann Hulten, Sweden; sixth, Yvonne de Linge, Belgium; seventh, Megan Taylor, Great Britain, eighth, Mag-Taylor, Great Britain; eifighth, Magdalen Colledge, Great Britain; ninth, Millie Phillips, Great Britain; tenth, Joan Dix, Great Britain; eleventh, Margaret Bennett, United States; twelfth, Suzanne Davis, United States; thirteenth, Elizabeth Fisher, Toronto, and fourteenth, Louis Weigel, United States.

Ellsworth Vines To Marry in June

Pasadena, Calif., Feb. 11.—Engagement of Miss Verle Low to Ellsworth Vines Jr., national singles tennis champion, was announced late yesterday by Mrs. Laura B. Low. The wedding will take place some time in June.

Vines and Miss Low met more than three years ago as students of Pasadena Junior College, from which both were graduated.

Miss Low does not play tournament tennis.

Top Flight Favored For Kentucky Derby

C. V. Whitney's Filly 6 to 1 Choice For Famous Classic on May 7

Regret, Only Filly to Ever Win Event; Tick On Rates as Second Choice

New York, Feb. 11.—Although only one filly ever won the Kentucky Derby, C. V. Whitney's Top Flight, undefeated as a two-year-old last year, continues the winter book favorite to emulate the 1915 triumph of Regret at Churchill Downs May 7.

Top Flight is held at 6 to 1 by Tom Kearney, St. Louis bookmaker, while Tom Shaw, the eastern clubhouse commissioner, quoted the brilliant daughter of his Donc-Flyatit at 8 to 1.

Mrs. Louis G. Kaufman's Tick On, winner of the $50,000 Hopeful at Saratoga, is rated the second choice at 10 to 1. Tick On won only three of his ten starts and $57,350, but gave every indication of developing into a distance runner. Tick On extended Top Flight in the Pimlico futurity.

Burning Blaze, the mid-west juvenile champion owned by the Valley Lake stable of Chicago, shares with J. J. Robinson's Lucky Tom, three-year-old sensation of the current New Orleans meeting, the honor of third choice. Each is quoted at 15 to 1.

ARE AT 20 to 1

Quoted at 20 to 1 are E. R. Bradley's Burgoo King, the chief hope of Kentucky; the Nevada Stock Farm's Hygro, sprinting sensation of the middle west; T. N. Cassidy's Universe and Mrs. Graham Fair Vanderbilt's Sweeping Light.

Grouped in the 30 to 1 class are: On Post, a stable mate of Tick On; Victor Emanuel's speedy sprinter, Morfair, a son of the 1929 Derby winner; and Walter J. Salmon's great stretch runner, Mad Pursuit, which was second to Top Flight in the $100,000 Belmont futurity.

One may write his own ticket on the remainder of the nominations, which will be announced February 20.

Winnipegs to Play Quebec "Rep" Team

Montreal, Que., Feb. 11.—The Canadian Olympic Hockey team, the Winnipegs, will play an exhibition match here with an all-star team chosen from the senior group of the Quebec Amateur Hockey Association next Monday night at the Forum, it was announced by Ken. Stewart, convener of the senior group.

Ernie Arthur And Bud Anderson Draw

Bellingham, Wash., Feb. 11.—Ernie Arthur, Canadian middleweight champion, was held to a draw by Bud Anderson, Seattle, in the main event of a wrestling card here yesterday evening. Both men took a fall.

Jack Forsgren, Vancouver, B.C., defeated Hal Rumberg, Salt Lake City, in the semi-final, two falls out of three.

Herb Bridges, Ferndale, and Frank Draper, Vancouver, B.C., wrestled to a draw, both getting one fall.

HOCKEY GAMES FOR TO-NIGHT

NATIONAL LEAGUE
Chicago at Montreal Canadiens.
Montreal Maroons at Boston.
INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE
Cleveland at Pittsburgh.

MAROONS WILL TACKLE BOSTON

Two Bottom Teams in N.H.L. Meet To-night; Canadiens and Chicago Engaged

Toronto, Ont., Feb. 11.—A pair of inter-group contests which are likely to affect the standings round out the National Hockey League programme to-night when first and second-division clubs clash in Montreal and Boston.

Sprague Cleghorn's up-climbing Montreal Maroons and Boston Bruins each have an excellent chance to climb out of the cellar of their respective divisions if they can emerge with a victory.

Hooley Smith, high-scoring forward of the league who was on the sidelines when Maroons upset Canadiens Tuesday, will be back in action to-night and will give his club a slight edge over the rearranged Boston line-up. "Tiny" Thompson, who returned to Boston line-up after a lengthy absence, will again be in goal and Bruins will be at full strength.

Canadiens have a chance of tying for the leadership of the Canadian division with a gain over Chicago Black Hawks in Montreal. Downed by their strong city rivals earlier in the week, Canadiens are greatly in need of a victory over the Chicago entry in order to keep pace with Toronto Maple Leafs who are idle.

Joe Malcewicz Is Winner Over Myers

New York, Feb. 11.—Joe Malcewicz, 204, Utica, N.Y., pinned Dr. Fred Myers, 200, Chicago, with a body slam in 30.31, of the feature wrestling match at St. Nicholas arena yesterday evening.

John (Casey) Kazanjian, 205, California, and Charley Hansen, 203, Seattle, drew, in thirty minutes.

Marvin Westenberg, 225, Tacoma, Wash., pinned Pat O'Hara, 210, Canada, with flying mares and a body slam in 12.32; Nick Lutze, 215, Venice, Calif., and Charley Strack, 218, Spring Valley, N.Y., drew in thirty minutes.

FAMOUS BOOKIE DEAD

London, Feb. 11. — Thomas Day, known to the racing world as one of the most shrewd and upright of bookmakers, died yesterday. He was sixty-five years old.

Buyats Draw Even In Hoop Play-off By Brilliant Win

Hand Commercials 26-to-19 Defeat in Second Game of Best Two Out Three Series for City Senior "A" Basketball Championship; Third and Deciding Game Scheduled Next Wednesday; Commercials Led 14 to 11 at Interval; Green Mill Win Senior "C" Honors; Beavers Defeat Slingers

Rallying in the second half to come from behind a 14-to-11 score at half-time the Buyats handed the Commercials a 26-to-19 setback in the second game of the senior "A" play-off for the city basketball championship at the Victoria High School gym yesterday evening. The series now stands at one game apiece with the third and deciding battle scheduled for next Wednesday evening on the same floor. A battle royal is expected with both clubs evenly favored.

In the two preliminary games yesterday evening the Green Mill won the city senior "C" championship by defeating the J.B.A.A. 27 to 19 in the second game of their series. The champions took the first fixture, 16 to 15, to win the round 43 to 34, while the Beavers advanced another step towards second half honors in the intermediat "A" division by defeating Slingers 20 to 13.

BUYATS FLASH FORM

The Buyats were seen at their best, and their tricky plays and brilliant shooting had the Commercials bewildered in the second half. The latter had many fine chances in the first half and should have built up a bigger lead, but their shooting was erratic. The game was fast from start to finish, and the large crowd enjoyed the first class exhibition.

The Buyats got away to a 6 to 4 lead in the opening minutes, and it was increased when Bissell and Lynn Patrick broke away from their checks to drop through baskets. Commercials called time out to put Ross and Engleson into action. Art Chapman tipped one through the hoop to bring the score to 10 to 6. At this stage Bissell was injured and forced to leave the floor. Chuck Chapman further reduced the lead, while Muzz Patrick put the Commercials out in front with a couple of baskets. The Buyats managed to snare one foul shot before the half-time whistle giving the Commercials 1 4to 11 lead at the rest period.

SCORE IS TIED

In the opening minutes of the second half Forbes and Caddell scored baskets to tie the score and bring the house down. A long shot by Bissell put the Buyats in the lead again, which they held for the remainder of the game. Forbes took a pass from Bissell to score, and the Buyats were leading 18 to 14. Muzz Patrick was banished for four personals. The Buyats boosted their lead to 22 to 14, only to have Engleson and Jones score four points for the Commercials. Two lovely baskets by Caddell in the dying moments cinched the game for the Buyats, the Commercials getting one more points on a foul throw.

The teams and individual scorers follow:

Buyats—Cupid, McDonald, L. Patrich 4, Forbes 5, Shepherd 5, Caddell 5, Brown, McKenzie, Bissell 7.

Commercials — Craig, Jones 2, A. Chapman 5, Engleson 2, M. Patrick 4, C. Chapman 4, Ross, Little 2.

After being held to a 11 to 10 lead in the first half the Green Mill went on a scoring rampage in the final period to score their victory over the J.B.A.A. and cinch the senior "C" crown. The second half witnessed some fast play with the fine shooting of the Green Mill giving them the edge. Smith, Baker and Hill led the Green Mill scorers, while Burnett was high man for the Bays.

The team and individual scorers follow:

Green Mill—Jones, Smith 7, Baker 6, Williams 1, Hill 6, Petticrew, Passmore 3, Woods 4.

J.B.A.A.—Scott 2, Acres 1, Bull Burnett 7, Williams, Taylor 2, Clark 2, Moses 5, Elliott.

Coming from behind in the second half the Beavers turned back Slingers in a good exhibition. Slingers were on the long end of a 7 to 5 score at half-time, but were unable to hold off the closing rally of the winners.

The teams and individual scorers follow:

Slingers—Robertson 5, Gibson 2, Johnston 4, Fraser, Kersey 1, Macmurchie, Sutton 1, Menzies.

Beavers—Dixon, Fraser 5, Moore 4, McDonald, Martin, Tubman 4, Preston 4, Levy 2, Goldsmith 1.

Alan Le Marquand and Tommy Macedo refereed the games.

WINDSOR GAIN DRAW TO CLIMB

Bulldogs Now Tied With London For Third Place in International Hockey

Toronto, Ont., Feb. 11.—Windsor Bulldogs climbed into a third-place tie with London Tecumsehs in the International Hockey League race yesterday evening when they batted Detroit Olympics to a scoreless draw in the Canadian city.

Soft ice and a heavy mist marred the team work of both squads, although the rival goalies, Emmett Venne for Olympics and Normie Smith for Bulldogs, were the standouts of the game witnessed by a capacity attendance.

It was the second scoreless tie in the succession for the two border rivals in the Windsor rink. The tie was enough to advance Olympics to second place a single game behind the race-setting Buffalo Bisons, and one point in the van of the two Canadian clubs.

HUDSON'S BAY OUT IN FRONT

Defeat Improved C.P.R. Eleven 3 to 1 to Take Lead in Wednesday Football

Grierson's Three Goals Give Navy Hard-fought 4 to 2 Win Over Saanich

Chalking up a 3-to-1 victory over a vastly-improved C.P.R. eleven at the Royal Athletic Park yesterday afternoon the Hudson's Bay Wednesday League football team went into the lead in the Pendray Cup series. In the second match of the day the Navy turned back Saanich United 4 to 2 at the Beacon Hill grounds. The Bays are leading the series by a one-point margin over the Navy with the Garrison a single point behind the sailors in third position.

In the match at the Royal Athletic the C.P.R. had a decided edge in the first fifteen minutes of play and the Bays were hard pressed to keep their goal clear. The railwaymen had plenty of chances to score but their forwards lacked finish in front of goal. The Bays opened the match one man short but McIlmoyl came on the field to bring them to full strength.

TAYLOR SCORES

A few minutes before half-time John Taylor put the Bays in the lead with a hard drive from right wing. Half-time found the Bays still leading by the only goal scored. Ten minutes after the start of the second half the C.P.R. evened the score on a penalty kick, Southern scoring from the shot awarded against McKenzie for hands. After fifteen minutes the Bays went into the lead again when Small scored on a pass from Taylor. The Bays' third counter was netted by Fish, Geddes misjudging his long shot. The railwaymen tried hard to score again before the final whistle.

Hewison refereed.

The teams follow:

C.P.R. — Geddes, Clarke, Reidweg, Gelling, Southern, V. Robertson, Rawnsley, J. McLellan, Johnson, Scott and J. Robertson.

Hudson's Bay—Shrimpton, McKenzie, Menzies, Cull, Woodley, Oakman, Taylor, Fish, Obee, Small and McIlmoyl.

In their match with the Saanich eleven the Navy opened the scoring in the first two minutes of play when Grierson beat Rowe, in the Saanich net, with a hard shot from close in. The Navy continued to force play and the Saanich back division was kept busy breaking up attacks. With half the period completed Sanich rallied and Speller drove home the tying goal. The Navy carried play to the other end of the field from the kick-off and with half-time drawing near Walker put them in the lead again.

Playing with the advantage of the wind in the second half the Saanich team showed up better and it was not long before Tooby scored the tying goal. However, the Navy again forged into the lead on Grierson's second goal of the match. The same player was responsible for the Navy's third counter, heading in a corner kick.

Johnson refereed.

The teams follow:

Navy—Zanell, Hibert, Burring, Robertson, Roberts, Cozier, Tweats, Walker, Wilson and Grierson.

Saanich — Rowe, Blanco, Wyatt, Stonier, Moir, Speller, Price, T. Price, Brown, Love and Tooby.

Dempsey Will Meet Christner To-night

Cleveland, Ohio, Feb. 11.—Jack Dempsey is having a lot of fun on the comeback trail, but he "is not kidding himself."

Arriving here yesterday for his bout to-night with K. O. Christner, Akron the former heavyweight champion is hopeful, but not seriously concerned whether he reaches again the throne he lost to Gene Tunney in 1926.

He could go ten rounds, "but not at top speed," he admitted. "I'm hoping that I'll be able to challenge the best of them by summer, but I'm not kidding myself or the public until I'm sure I'll be able to go the distance without breathing spells."

RUGBY WORKOUT

Candidates for the Victoria "rep" fifteen will hold a workout this evening at the Armories at 6.30 o'clock. All those players selected by the union are asked to be on hand.

Record Field For Swimming League Gala

Keen Competition Looked For In Big Meet Carded Monday

Y.M.C.A., Crystal Garden and V.A.S.C. Well Represented in Entry List for Fixture at Crystal Garden; All Senior Races Handicaps; Juniors to Swim in Straight Sprints; Life Saving Will Be One of Features of Lengthy Programme

One of the largest fields that has ever gone out in quest of local aquatic honors in recent years has been lined up for the Vancouver Island Swimming League's gala at the Crystal Garden on Monday evening, it was revealed in the entry list released to-day.

Y.M.C.A., Crystal Garden and V.A.S.C. squads will be well represented in virtually every event. In the senior class all races will be handicaps, while in the junior division, straight sprints will be the order of the day.

In addition to being an important meet in the league's schedule, the gala will also give the committee in charge of the Helene Madison exhibition an opportunity to line up opposition for the visiting Seattle swimmers in their appearance here next week.

Exceptionally keen competition is expected among the rival clubs in the junior events. The youngsters have been coming along in fine style during recent months and should present a splendid showing to the crowds which are expected to throng to the Garden for the event.

LEADING SWIMMERS TO COMPETE

In addition to the promising junior material, spectators will see the leading mermen and mermaids of the city perform in their respective races.

Audrey Griffin Kieran who, up to three or four years ago, was in a class by herself in the Pacific Northwest, will be back in harness to try conclusions with such girls as Eleanor Peden and Lillian Stokes, who have come to the fore since Audrey has been away from the lists.

Denny Walker, Y.M.C.A. ace, will meet his local rival, Stan Witty, of the V.A.S.C., in a number of events which should prove exceptionally exciting owing to the handicaps.

A feature of the meet will be the life-saving competition for the Hibberson Cup, highly prized trophy given for neatness and efficiency in the study which had brought scores to its ranks in recent years. This feature of the programme will be run off early, starting shortly after 7.30 o'clock.

The relay races should also prove interesting, as should the diving competitions.

PROGRAMME

The complete list of entries, with starting times in the handicaps, follows:

Girls under twelve, fifty yards freestyle—Audrey Adam, Y.M.C.A.; Joy Nixon, Y.M.C.A.

Boys under twelve, fifty yards freestyle—Lawson Grey, C.G.S.C., E. Blenkinsop, Y.M.C.A.; J. Irvine, Y.M.C.A.; D Williams, Y.M.C.A.; Vic Merriman, Y.M.C.A.

Women's fifty yards freestyle, handicap—M. Carter, Y.M.C.A. (go); W. Spencer, V.A.S.C. (2); Ridout, V.A.S.C. (2); P. Pollard, V.A.S.C. (2); L. Stokes, C.G.S.C. (8); E. Peden, C.G.S.C. (8); Audrey Griffin Kieran, Y.M.C.A. (8).

Men's 100 yards freestyle, handicap—Bob Shade, C.G.S.C. (go); Bill Holbourne, C.G.S.C. (1); Dalton Cameron, V.A.S.C. (2); Frank Gilbert, V.A.S.C. (2); J. Rawlins, Y.M.C.A. (3), D. Healey, Y.M.C.A. (3); Chris Usher, Y.M.C.A. (3).

Girls under fourteen, flat race—L. Fancett, C.G.S.C.; E. Squire, C.G.S.C.; Patsy Swift, Y.M.C.A.; H. Unsworth, Y.M.C.A.; Georgie Adam, Y.M.C.A.; Audrey Adam, Y.M.C.A.

Boys under fourteen, flat race—B. Squire, C.G.S.C.; E. Bucklin, Y.M.C.A.; W. Clark, Y.M.C.A.; Billy Van Druten, Y.M.C.A.; L. Mathews, V.A.S.C.; R. Emerson, V.A.S.C.; E. Emerson, V.A.S.C. H. Rowell, V.A.S.C.

Women's 100 yards backstroke, handicap—O. Kennedy, Y.M.C.A. (go); M. McRae (14), Molly Unsworth, Y.M.C.A.; (20), E. Peden, C.G.S.C. (32).

Men's 150 yards backstroke, handicap—B. Shade, C.G.S.C. (go); B. Simpson, C.G.S.C. (3); Bob Emirl, Y.M.C.A (3); D. Walker, Y.M.C.A. (20).

Women's diving—K. Unsworth, P. Hamilton and L. Merton, all of Y.M.C.A.; L. Cameron, V.A.S.C.; A. Kent, V.A.S.C.; E. Peden, C.G.S.C.

Boys under sixteen, fifty yards freestyle, flat race—G. Wellburn, Y.M.C.A.; J. Mutton, Y.M.C.A.; B. McVey, C.G.S.C.; B. Squire, C.G.S.C.; D. Peden, C.G.S.C.; I. Fuller, V.A.S.C.; J. Campbell, V.A.S.C.

Girls under sixteen, fifty yards freestyle, flat race—L. Pancett, C.G.S.C.; L. Cameron, V.A.S.C.; H. Denbigh, V.A.S.C.; Sheila Swift, Y.M.C.A.; Kewpie Unsworth, Y.M.C.A., and J. Bishop, Y.M.C.A.

Men's 400 yards freestyle, handicap—Bill Robertson, V.A.S.C. (go); Harry King, Y.M.C.A. (go); Stan. Witty, V.A.S.C. (10); Denny Walker, Y.M.C.A. (20).

Women's 100 yards freestyle—C. Robinson, V.A.S.C. (go); M. Nelson, Y.M.C.A. (go); R. Davidson, Y.M.C.A. (3); L. Stokes, C.G.S.C. (9); Eleanor Peden, C.G.S.C. (20).

Men's diving—P. Bond, V.A.S.C.; "Jake" Stokes Jr., V.A.S.C.; Ken. Billingsley, Y.M.C.A.; A. Stewart, Y.M.C.A.; A. Stott, Y.M.C.A.

Women's 100 yards breaststroke, handicap—S. Collier-Wright, Y.M.C.A. (go); Thelma Aspinwall, Y.M.C.A. (1); H. Sharp, Y.M.C.A. (2); J. Forbes, Y.M.C.A. (4); E. Squires, C.G.S.C. (20); L. Stokes, C.G.S.C. (35).

Men's 150 yards breaststroke — R McMillan, Y.M.C.A. (7); Percy Riddle (go).

Relay race—C.G.S.C. (one team), V.A.S.C. (two teams), Y.M.C.A. (three teams). All teams to be mixed.

Life-saving for the Hibberson Cup—E. Peden and B. Shade, Crystal Garden Club; L. Cameron and H. Denbigh, V.A.S.C.; Babs Heseltine and B. Parkhill; H. Wright and A. Breton, and P. Towler and M. Whyte, St. Margaret's; Wanda Spencer, B. Garnett, B. Pollard and W. Pollard, V.A.S.C., and one team from Langford.

GREEN MILL TO MEET KEATING

Open Series For Island Senior "C" Hoop Title at Saanich To-morrow Evening

Second Game Will Be Played at High School Next Week; Total Points Count

To-morrow evening at Saanichton the Keating and Green Mill basketball teams will meet in the first of a two-game series for the Vancouver Island senior "C" basketball championship. Total points will count in the two games and the second fixture will be played at the Victoria High School gym next Wednesday evening. Yesterday evening at the High School the Green Mill five defeated the J.B.A.A. in the play-off for the city senior "C" crown.

Two other games will be played with the Lake Hill "A" team meeting the Keating intermediate "A" squad. The former team has two victories to its credit over the Keating boys. In the second fixture the Keating girls will oppose the Lake Hill quintette.

The suburban teams follow:

Keating girls—Nellie Aymes, Alice Styan, Mabel Clow, Vera Handy, Connie Johnstone, May Peden, Ona Young, Doris Hanson.

Keating intermediate "A" boys—A. Gunn, H. Shepperd, E. May, E. Oakes, D. Styan, E. Styan, K. Thompson.

Keating senior "C"—C. Cunningham, G. Michell, W. Bate, S. Bate, L. Styan, P. Atkinson, M. Atkinson, W. Turgoose, B. Marchant.

Lake Hill girls—I. Pye, J. Monkey, P. Peddle, A. Pye, M. Peddle, E. Bernard, N. Millican, P. Edwards.

M'ARDLE LOSES A HARD BATTLE

Vancouver Featherweight Drops Decision to Abie Israel; Santos Scores Win

Seattle, Feb. 11.—Abie Israel, Seattle featherweight, pounded his way to an unpopular decision over Chris McArdle, Vancouver, B.C., in a whirlwind six-round boxing bout here yesterday evening.

They weighed 123 pounds each.

Israel rocked McArdle with a hard right to the jaw in the first round, and sent the Canadian lad to his knees twice in the third and fifth. Chris virtually flew at Israel with swinging arms, but the Seattle youth counter-punched his way to victory. Abie landed several telling blows to the head as McArdle rushed him.

Israel drew the displeasure of the packed house for refusing to lead, hitting numerous low blows and jabbing in the break.

SANTOS WINNER

Sammy Santos, Manila, welterweight, scored a technical knockout in the second round of a scheduled six-rounder over Jack Kirk, San Francisco negro. Santos floored Kirk three times in the first round and twice in the second before the referee stopped the bout.

Paul Delaney, Seattle, middleweight, and Del King, Spokane, fought a bloody draw at six rounds; Al. Mistola, Portland featherweight, won over Joe Calder, Manila, in six rounds, and Jake McIntyre, Tacoma welterweight, bested Tommy Drysdale, Victoria, B.C., in four.

"Y" TRACK TEAM TO MAKE PLANS

Track and field men of the Y.M.C.A will gather at the association on Tuesday evening, February 16, for their first big pre-season meeting, it was announced by Archie McKinnon, physical director and coach of the team, to-day.

The members of the squad will be given a short talk on conditioning by Coach McKinnon before they are given their individual programmes for the early season.

Both senior and junior members of the team will be present.

Metchosin

Dr. and Mrs. T. Gaddes have sold their property on the Kangaroo Road to Mr. and Mrs. Caldwell of Victoria, and are moving into the city where they will reside. Dr. and Mrs. Gaddes have made their home in Metchosin for the last seven years. Mr. and Mrs. Caldwell will take up their residence here immediately.

OUR BOARDING HOUSE —By AHERN

Scots Will Resume Drive For Honors

Last Year's Senior Rugby Champs Take Field Against Navy on Saturday

Wanderers Will Go Up Against Gunners; Victoria College to Face Brentwood

Taking the field for the first time since the frost interrupted the senior schedule, Canadian Scottish, senior city champions and co-holders of the provincial title last year, will reopen their drive for second half rugby honors at the Canteen grounds on Saturday. They will be opposing the Navy, first-half champions.

In the other senior fixture of the day, victors in last Saturday's fixtures will clash, the Fifth Regiment meeting the Oak Bay Wanderers at Oak Bay Park.

In the intermediate division, Victoria College will clash with its traditional rival, Brentwood, at the Tod Inlet grounds in what promises to be a battle royal. University School will attempt to retain its newly-won honors with a victory over the Canadian Scottish at the University School, and the Wanderers, fresh from their 35 to 0 win over the Gunners will battle the J.B.A.A. at Victoria High School ground, with the special permission of the School Board.

All games will start at 3 o'clock.

SCOTTISH FAIRLY STRONG

The Navy gained the first-half championship virtually by their victory over the Scottish in the opening part of the league. Both teams have lost several players since the end of the first half. The Scots appear to be the stronger for the match, with Jack Brydon, Larry Henderson, Jack Horne, Cy Bernard, Godfrey Wenman, Harry Robson, Bill Pollard and Ted May on their roster.

The militiamen have taken their first two starts this half, while the sailors have taken it on the chin three times in succession. Irrespective of the result, however, the game promises to be a good battle. H. A. Tomalin will referee.

At Oak Bay Park the Wanderers will send their shock troops against the Gunners in what should also prove an interesting fixture. Both scored close wins last week and are anxious to repeat. G. C. Grant will referee.

INTERMEDIATE FEATURE

Victoria College, humbled by their 6 to 3 defeat at the hands of the University School last Saturday, are expected to put up an improved showing against the Tod Inlet blackshirts. The game is figured one of the features of the second division schedule and should draw good crowds to Brentwood. C. Jones will handle the whistle.

Speed and trickiness will oppose strength and weight in the University-Scottish tussle. By defeating the Collegians the Mount Tolmie boys boosted their stock way up in the intermediate division. When they last met the Highlanders they were held to a draw, but hope to break through for a victory this time. Bill Derbyshire will handle the fixture.

WANDERERS FAVORED

Charlie Morton's rapidly improving Wanderers are figured to have the edge in their struggle with the James Bay Athletic Association. The Oak Bay boys came through in a blaze of glory last week against the Gunners and hope to rip through the oarsmen the same way. J. B. Acland has been appointed to take charge of the fixture.

At yesterday evening's meeting of the Victoria Rugby Union, it was decided to seek another game with the Canadian All-Stars on their return from the Orient. If possible a game will be played here on February 24.

Preparations for a rousing reception for the tourists were broached.

PATIENTS PAID THIRD OF COST

Jubilee Hospital Report Shows Expenses $306,167; Patients Paid $92,020

Government and Municipal Grants Were $136,072; Unpaid Accounts $115,386

The cost of operating the Royal Jubilee Hospital in 1931 amounted to $306,167.15, according to a statement presented to the Saanich Council and released yesterday evening by Councillor Fred Borden, chairman of the health committee.

The report shows that failure of patients to pay accounts aggregating $115,386.64 absorbed most of the provincial and municipal grants of $136,072.80. Less than one-half the bills sent out were collected last year, the total charged patients being $207,406.79 and the amount received from patients being stated at $92,020.35.

The difference between the charges made for services and the actual cost of operating the hospital was $98,760.36, the charges to patients being on a scale which is expected to return little more than $2 out of each $3 required to carry on the services. The net deficit for 1931 was $78,074.

Value of service rendered Saanich patients in 1931 amounted to $12,250.88 and grants from the municipality during the same year amounted to $7,168, with an additional $2,000 special grant. Total value of service rendered to indigent patients of the municipality amounted to $7,915.85.

Payment of Saanich hospital bills has been steadily increasing. The percentage of Saanich bills paid last year amounted to 48.9 per cent. as compared with 44.3 per cent in 1930. On the other hand, there has been a steady increase in the number of patients from Saanich over the past five-year period. The number last year was 623, as compared with 449 in 1926.

CLAIM BOARD'S POLICY UNFAIR

Plumbing Firm Alleges Discrimination By School Trustees in Contracts

Discrimination in the letting of plumbing and heating contracts by the Victoria School Board was alleged by McDowell and Mann in a letter tabled at the board meeting yesterday evening.

The letter stated that the firm was informed five years ago that the board endeavored to split its plumbing work among various firms in the city. This firm, it said, had not received any in the last five years. Members of the firm were heavy taxpayers in the city and entitled to some of the work, it added. They wanted to know why they had not received work in recent years.

In addition, the letter called for full information regarding the amount of plumbing work done for the board in the last few years, with details of expenditures and the names of firms receiving the contracts.

Trustee Victor Emery moved that the letter be dealt with in committee.

Trustee W. C. Moresby, K.C., said there was certainly no objection to supplying the information required.

"There's more to it than that," said Trustee Emery, and the complaint was tabled.

SCOTTISH TO PRACTICE

The Canadian Scottish senior rugby fifteen will hold a practice at the Armories to-night at 7.30 o'clock.

English-French Canadian Coins

Ottwa, Feb 11.—The Commons will be asked to approve a resolution advocating that Canadian currency should be in both English and French.

O. L. Boulanger, Liberal, Bellechasse, Que., has placed on the order paper of the House a resolution setting forth that "in order to well establish that the population of Canada is bilingual and that the country was settled by two great races, it is desirable Canadian currency should be in both the official languages of Canada."

WILL ROGERS HOME AGAIN

Says Did Not See Sphinx; Had Already Seen Calvin Coolidge

Associated Press

New York, Feb. 11.—Will Rogers, who wisecracked his way around the world, arrived yesterday from Europe on the liner Europa, "to get in on this dough everybody is going to dig out of their sock."

"I hear they are making a drive against hoarding," he said, "and I don't want to be away under the circumstances."

In Europe, he said, when you're introduced to somebody, they say, "Glad to meet you, cancel the debts." He saw the opening of the disarmament conference and it was "like the Follies, only harder to get in. All the diplomats were selling seats." He said Andrew Mellon would be a very popular ambassador to Great Britain. "He's got enough money to be popular anywhere."

Rogers revealed he had offered to bet Ray Long, publisher, that Hoover would be re-elected, but Mrs. Rogers admitted the money wasn't in sight at the crucial moment. The humorist, in fine fettle, insisted upon dragging all bystanders into the picture as photographers snapped him, and emitted a steady stream of questions.

"How is my friend, Jack Garner, going? That's a soft job because the speaker don't do anything and don't get to say nothing.

"Tell me about Alfalfa Bill Murray of Oklahoma. There's a boy for you who may be president. With this deadlock and all, Bill may sneak in. He's a 30 to 1 shot now, but he'll come up. I'm sneaking in with Bill.

"Everywhere I went a war broke out just after I left. Say, ain't these Chinese putting up a battle. I flew hundreds of miles with a Chinese pilot, which is taking more chances than Lindbergh took. I flew over Jerusalem and though. I didn't stop I could hear the wailin'. That was amateur wailin', however, compared to what I heard as soon as the ship came within earshot of Nantucket Light.

"I guess I'm the only gent who went to Cairo without seeing the Sphinx. I had already seen Mr. Coolidge. The most interesting guy I met on the trip, during which I flew twelve days steady from near Singapore to London, was a feller taking 500 cases of bees to China. I'd like to hear from that feller. I'm going back home to Hollywood to make some pictures. Am I going to write a short history of China? Yes, very short."

ANTI-TRADE MOVE SCORED

St. John's N.B., Feb. 11.—Premier C. D. Richards of New Brunswick yesterday joined with government officials of Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island in disapproving the decision reached at Perth, N.B., Monday by more than 100 potato growers and shippers, who resolved "to discourage the use of goods imported from Great Britain" so long as Great Britain continues its embargo against Canadian potatoes.

RACE DRAWS LARGE ENTRY

Forty-eight Horses Accepted For Lincolnshire Handicap on March 16

London, Eng., Feb. 11.—With Sir Hugh Hirst's five-year-old Diolite and W. S. Smith's good five-year-old Heronslea, at the top of the weights list, a large field is expected to start in the renewal of the Lincolnshire Handicap over the straight mile course, here, on March 16.

The Lincolnshire, one of the greatest of the spring handicaps, is the first feature race of the new flat racing season which opens at Lincoln on March 14.

Heronslea has top weight of 133 pounds, and Diolite, winner of the classic 2,000 guineas and third in the Derby in 1930, carries 131 pounds.

Forty-eight horses were left in the Lincolnshire yesterday and there are no further acceptances. Yesterday's forfeits contained few surprises, most trainers merely reducing the number of their entries.

KNIGHT ERROR

Knight Error, Captain Stanley Wilson's six-year-old, won the Lincolnshire last year, and gets in again at 108 pounds, an increase of three; and Lord Glaneley's Grand Salute, winner of the Royal Hunt Cup last season, is allotted 115 pounds.

The acceptances and weights are as follows:

Heronslea, 133; Diolite, 131; Pommane, 126; Fleeting Memory and Santillo, 129; Alluvial, Flying Argosy and Rear Admiral, 119; Lady Marjorie, 111; Trinidad, 116; Golden Cloud, Grand Salute and Zanoff, 115; Poor Lad, 112.

Eyes Front, 111; Anthrunium, 109; Knight Error, Light of Love, Red Letter Day and Spinner's Cottage, 108; Grand Master, 107; Eldorado and Jericho, 105; Sargasso, Kenhill and Twelfth Night, 104; Bread Crumb, Ellenborough, Knight of the Vale and Rada, 103.

Go Easy, 101; Kenwyn and Witticism, 100; Meistersinger, 98; Jerome Fandor and Old Riley, 97; Benburb and Ghost Train, 96; Seacape and Ladies' Chain, 95; Amoya, Man of Property and Manbo, 94; Dooley, Fraudulent and Marten's Tower, 92; and Nichi and Phillippos, 91 pounds.

BOWLING

COMMERCIAL FIVEPIN LEAGUE
"A" SECTION

Alert Service Co.—P. Tyrrell 623, A. Ferguson 595, G. Berystrom 449, G. Bothwell 506, R. Williams 410. Handicap 300, total 2,885.

McDonald's Tilers—L. Williams 537, T. Abercrombie 434, T. McDonald 586, P. Sherritt 432, F. Middleton 617. Handicap 198, total 2,804.

Alert Service Co. won two.

New Method Laundries—S. Swetnam 529, W. Jones 489, E. Collier 572, R. Lamb 524, A. Dunderdale 667. Handicap 291, total 3,072.

Aztecs—J. McAllister 451, C. Topp 496, H. Maddaford 527, R. Mase 447, B. Lemm 550. Handicap 300, total 2,781.

New Method Laundries won three.

Standard Steam Laundry—Clyde Savage 619, Carl Rodway 540, Harry Savage 543, Harry Swetnam 580, Charlie Savage 596. Handicap 66, total 3,144.

Times—Donaldson 633, Caddell 131, Lawson 340, Shields 369, Jealouse 323, Colton 416, Lidstone 256. Handicap 300, total 2,802.

Standard Steam Laundry won three.

Fernwood Rangers—H. Butteris 630, J. Green 482, J. Waters 609, A. Knight 545, H. S. Hewitt 311, D. McCaig 137. Handicap 236, total 3,049.

Spencerians—R. Humphreys 535, J. Caldwell 540, F. Harper 364, H. Bean 427, low score 363. Handicap 300, total 2,529.

Fernwood Rangers won three.

Rennie & Taylor—J. Taylor 413, J. Maxwell 556, J. Bantly 450, F. Aldridge 458, W. Rennie 163, J. Greenwood 380. Handicap 232, total 2,652.

Greer's Men's Wear—E. Stewart 534, W. Metcalfe 457, V. J. Baines 443, T. Nute 455, H. Moulton 614. Handicap 114, total 2,617.

Rennie & Taylor won two.

"B" SECTION

H.M.C. Dockyard—T. Brien 492, J. Comerford 536, F. Morgan 548, W. McCrindle 459, J. Bacon 638. Handicap 285, total 2,918.

H.M.C. Dockyard had a bye and take three.

Boulibee Ltd.—W. Hobday 602, D. Sutherland 446, G. Gandy 424, L. Harvey 487, H. C. Walker 493. Handicap 252, total 2,704.

Mc. Mc and Prior (Sporting) defaulted. Boulibee Ltd. won three.

Stocker's Security Storage Co.—B. Brown 655, J. Walker 589, W. Rabey 532, W. Richardson 528, J. Newnham 624. Handicap 300, total 3,228.

Diamond S—E. Gray 247, T. Milady 524, A. Strathern 191, F. Tadman 449, S. Thomson 489, R. Thomson 364. Handicap 300, total 2,563.

Stocker's won three.

Colonist Nonpareils—A. Anderson 578, J. R. Berg 653, E. Borde 492, J. S. Stewart 526, W. E. Dunn 571. Handicap 210, total 3,262.

Olympians—L. Knadd 575, G. Butler 546, H. Anderson 460, A. Perry 442, W. Shouldice 540. Handicap 300, total 3,863.

Colonist won three.

W. and J. Wilson—H. Wilson 546, G. Elliott 447, B. Terries 529, J. McIntosh 518, P. Scutt 464. Handicap 300, total 2,804.

Royal Arcanum—O. Kerr 580, W. Murgatroyd 365, W. B. Jones 535, W. Logie 561, low score 231, L. Stewart 139. Handicap 222, total 2,639.

W. and J. Wilson won two.

Our Own Brand—J. Bethell 733, W. Marshall 697, W. Chisholm 592, J. Howell 573, A. Harness 609. Handicap 54, total 3,278.

Independents—T. Wood 643, F. Moulton 655, H. Hayward 575, low score 551, low score 452. Handicap 68, total 2,942.

Our Own Brand won three.

HUMBUGS' FIVEPIN LEAGUE

Brownies—F. Burgess 357, A. Mackay 300, L. Johnson 336, M. Dinsmore 365, A. Brown 484. Total 1,742.

Berks—C. Brown 301, E. Hall 277, E. Berks 329, S. Wilby 334, M. Taylor 248. Total 1,489.

Brownies won three.

Cooties—H. Hubbard 312, E. Holyoak 386, M. Kendrew 361, M. Combe 372, E. McLagan 427. Total 1,858.

Walkerites—A. Gennason 259, M. Gardiner 290, R. White 391, M. Watson 200, L. B. Walker 369. Total 1,618.

Cooties won two.

CIVIL SERVICE FIVEPIN LEAGUE

Pressmen—H. Adams 541, H. Price 451, J. Wilby 500, G. Neill 640, T. Humphrey 515. Total 2,647.

Comp Off.—H. McCan 509, H. Anderson 643, D. Foster 599, A. McDiarmid 578, J. Bacon 366. Total 2,696.

Pressmen won two.

Lands—Tuthill 657, Camsuss 590, Tomalin 560, Holman 509, Walls 486. Total 2,802.

Opacs—J. Davey 400, T. A. Simmons 476, C. D. Orchard 384, W. Tait 522, F. A. MacDonald 588. Total 2,370.

Lands won three.

Agriculture—L. W. Johnson 495, E. Butler 132, E. W. White 494, A. J. Hourston 494, G. H. Stewart 531, J. Jenkins 354. Total 2,503.

Cruisers—H. J. Hodgins 422, M. W. Gormley 416, B. G. Griffiths 397, O. S. Andrews 417, G. Barnes 537. Total 2,100.

Agriculture won three.

B.C. Buds—J. Stewart 378, G. Paterson 491, G. Pea 549, H. Steenson 406, G. Davies 589. Total 2,413.

Treasury—Tom Mayne 475, G. Peel 420, C. Davies 505, Ray Rickinson 350, Les Clarke 594. Total 2,375.

B.C. Buds won two.

Maple Leafs—J. Stewart 634, H. Campion 599, S. A. Bell 576, J. Huxtable 665, G. Andrews 556. Total 3,024.

Information Bureau—J. Morton 437, G. L. Foulkes 506, W. Lyle 479, T. Marrion 470, C. Campbell 512. Total 2,404.

Maple Leafs won three.

(Women)

Shooting Stars—E. Harte 132, M. Christopher 350, M. Smith 414, D. Winkel 512, E. Beggs 409, W. Hadden 210. Total 2,027.

Wheaties—L. Clark 364, E. Summers 369, M. Marquart 319, E. Drummond 354, J. Ridgway 312. Total 1,718.

Shooting Stars won three.

Lucky Strikes—D. Cooper 362, M. Stephens 399, P. May 356, M. Webb 355, G. Miller 345. Total 1,817.

Aygees—D. Morrison 343, E. Balison 304, M. Burthoime 319, D. Osborn 433, K. Wellburn 350. Total 1,751.

Lucky Strikes won two.

Dumbelles—K. Robinson 552, P. Macdonald 430, F. Rippingale 431, C. Parson 513, E. Florence 563. Total 2,489.

Duds—P. Pirkins 222, I. Gandy 199, R. Steele 386, V. Holland 386, V. Jacklin 492, J. Taylor 226. Total 1,971.

Dumbelles won three.

Barney Dreyfuss Left Big Estate

Pittsburgh, Feb. 11.—The will of Barney Dreyfuss, latae owner of the Pittsburgh Pirates, was filed for probate yesterday. The estate is estimated at $400,000 or more, but is expected to total several million dollars.

No mention is made of how the Pittsburgh Baseball Club is to be operated in the future.

Mrs. Florence Dreyfuss, the widow, and the People's Pittsburgh Trust Company are named executors. The bulk of the estate was left to Mrs. Dreyfuss.

TORONTO TO FLOAT LOAN

Toronto, Feb. 11—The city of Toronto will float an issue of $15,000,000 in 5½ per cent serial debentures shortly after March 1. The issue is for the domestic market, George Wilson, civic finance commissioner, made the announcement yesterday.

U.S. Wins Over German Ice Team

Country	W.	L.	Goals F.	Goals A.	Pts.
Canada	5	0	30	3	10
United States	4	1	25	8	8
Germany	1	4	3	25	2
Poland	0	5	2	30	0

Lake Placid, N.Y., Feb. 11.—The United States Olympic hockey team yesterday evening scored its second victory over the German team, and its fourth in the Olympic round-robin hockey tournament by a score of 8 to 0.

Beaten only by the tournament-leading Canadians, the United States team outclassed the Germans from the start and scored in every period.

SAVIN PUTS DIX DOWN IN FOURTH

San Francisco, Feb. 11.—Lew Savin, 164, San Francisco, turned in a surprise knockout yesterday evening when he flattened Madison Dix, 156, Bellingham, Wash., in the fourth round of their scheduled eight-round bout.

Savin started his attack with body blows in the second round and kept up the hammering until the fourth round when he polished Dix off with a sharp right cross to the chin. The Bellingham battler took the full count, unable to rise.

BILLY PETROLLE WILL BE ACTIVE

New York, Feb. 11.—It promises to be a busy spring for Billy Petrolle, the Fargo Express. Promoter Jimmy Johnston of Madison Square Garden said yesterday he was negotiating with the managers of three of the greatest lightweights and welterweights in the game for bouts with Petrolle in the next few months. They are Bat Battalino, former featherweight champion; Tony Canzoneri, lightweight champion, and Jackie Fields, holder of the welterweight crown.

Valentine Tea, auspices volunteer Bible Class, First United Church, Y.W.C.A., Saturday, February, 13, 3 to 6 p.m. Proceeds for under-privileged children. ***

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Wheat Up Fractions In Active Market With Buoyant Tone

Canadian Press

Winnipeg, Feb. 11—Taking their cue from upturns in the securities market wheat prices worked upward in the grain pit to-day and closing values were ⅝ to ¾ higher on the day's trade.

May closed ⅝ higher at 64¼; July, ¾ to ⅝ higher at 65⅝, while October gained ¾ to close at 67⅛.

Steadiness in Liverpool wheat quotations proved a stimulus to buying. Wheat was well absorbed in one of the most active markets here in some time.

Heavy buying by Chicago houses ran prices to top levels during the initial hour for a gain of one cent. The advance was not fully held but the market finished with a strong undertone and sentiment appeared friendly to higher levels.

Only a few scattered lots could be traced to export but Liverpool reported a better milling demand for actual wheat. It is estimated that 3,000,000 bushels of wheat have been worked for export this week.

Liverpool prices responded to an improved milling demand and dearer Argentine offers.

Cash wheat and coarse grains met an improved demand and closed at spreads a trifle higher than the previous closing differences.

United States grain markets will be closed on Friday, Lincoln's birthday anniversary.

To-day's Grain Markets

WINNIPEG

(By Logan & Bryan)

Winnipeg, Feb. 11.—Wheat: The early news was somewhat bullish this morning and the local wheat opened strong and about ¾ higher, made further gains and held very strong throughout at around ¾ up.

The chief features were the strength in Chicago, that market advancing from 1⅜ to 2 cents and held very steady at slightly under the extreme bulge, and the news from Washington that the new Federal Reserve Bank bill, which will be introduced into Congress, will lay the groundwork for unhampered credit expansion policy. New York figures out that the dollar will be cheapened and the price of commodities will rise, and while gold may continue to go into hiding, paper money will receive wider circulation. Every bank in every community in the United States will have money to loan knowing that its rediscount privileges have been broadened. This will relieve many small business concerns which have been unable to borrow for legitimate needs.

Exports of wheat overnight were small, but continental houses took about 400,000 out of the local pit during the session. Export business has improved during the week and Bradstreets weekly North American shipments are placed at 6,100,000 bushels, Black Sea shipments are 400,000, of which Russia shipped only 152,000 bushels. The estimated Argentine shipments are 4,266,000 bushels.

There was nothing doing in cash market and no wheat was changing hands. The spread on No. 1 hard advanced one cent, and some of the off grades were advanced fractionally, but this did not mean anything in particular.

Germany reported native offerings were very small. Omaha wired that the weather forecast is much colder for to-day and to-morrow. Fields are covered with water from recent thaw and will form solid ice with frost.

Winnipeg closed ¾ to ⅞ higher.

Liverpool due ⅛ lower to unchanged, based on Winnipeg.

Wheat—	Open	High	Low	Close
May	63-7	64-4	63-7	64-1
October	67-1	67-2	66-7	67-1
July	65-4	65-7	65-4	65-5
Oats—				
May	32-1	32-3	31-7	32-4
July	31-7	32-2	31-5	32-2
Rye—				
July	47-4	47-6	47-2	47-5
May	46-3	46-4	46	46-3
Barley—				
May	40-1	41	40-1	40-7
Flax—				
July	103	103-4	102-6	103-4
May	103	104	103	103-7

Cash Grain Close

Wheat—1 hard, 63⅝; 1 nor., 61⅝; 2 nor., 57⅝; 3 nor., 53⅝; 4, 50⅝; 5, 46⅝; 6, 44⅝; feed, 42⅝; track, 61⅝. Amber durum—No. 1, 85⅝; 2, 77⅝; 3, 67⅝; 4, 54⅝.

Oats—2 cw., 29⅝; 3 cw., 27⅝; ex. 1 feed, 26⅝; 1 feed, 25⅝; 2 feed, 24⅝; rej., 18⅝; track, 29⅝.

Rye—1 cw., 43⅝; 2 cw., 43⅝; 3 cw., 41⅝; rej., 2 cw., 40⅝; rej., 38⅝; track, 43⅝.

Barley—2 row, 40⅝; 6 row, 41⅝; 3 cw., 37⅝; 4 cw., 36⅝; 5 cw., 34⅝; 6 cw., 32⅝; track, 37⅝.

Flax—1 nwc., 100⅝; 2 cw., 96⅝; 3 cw., 73⅝; rej., 73⅝; track, 100⅝.

INDEMNITIES FOR FRIDAY

Winnipeg	Bid	Offer
Wheat—		
May	63-6	64-5
October	66-4	67-4
July	65-2	66-2
Chicago		
July	59	61-5
September	60-6	63
May	58	60-4

CHICAGO

(By Logan & Bryan)

Chicago, Feb. 11.—Wheat: A big improvement in stock prices, based on expectation that the federal reserve discount power will be broadened materially, higher cables, fears of crop damage arising from unprecedented mild conditions and intimations of a broadening export demand, all combined to create a stronger market in wheat.

The possibility of measures suggesting some degree of inflation will be a factor in both commodities and securities. Liverpool closed 1⅜ to 1½ higher with a broader demand in general reported, Russian shipments were smaller than for many years at 125,000 bushels and total Black Sea shipments were only 440,000 bushels, while rye shipments were only 238,000 bushels.

Cold weather is expected by to-night or to-morrow and the winter wheat is certainly exposed to the threat of serious damage as the mild conditions have promoted unseasonable growth and have also removed about all the snow covering.

To-morrow will be a holiday, but Liverpool and Winnipeg will be open, and there was some evening up for over the holiday. The market is in a position to do better with the help of export buying or any serious crop troubles. Moreover, the general business conditions are likely to gradually reflect the operations of the various stabilizing agencies. This would give more confidence to buyers of commodities.

Corn.—The grain showed remarkable strength, reflecting both the improvement in stocks and wheat. Receipts were 170 cars, estimated, the shipping demand limited and country sales moderate.

Weather is mild and tends to restrict consumption in all quarters. However, primary arrivals were only 434,000 bushels, and farmers are not willing to sell at all freely. Argentine shipments were estimated at only 3,760,000 bushels, much smaller than a year ago, and smallest exports in many weeks.

Local cash demand slow, with sales of 4,000 bushels and 47,000 bushels bought to arrive.

Oats—Shared in strength in other grains. There was no special seling pressure. Cash sales were 14,000 bushels, sales to arrive 4,000 bushels. Primary arrivals 192,000 bushels. The market should work higher with any further advance in other grains.

Rye — Prices advanced with wheat. Russian rye shipments small. Trading market indicated, favor buying side on dips.

Wheat—	Open	High	Low	Close
July	59-7	60-3	59-4	59-7
September	61-4	61-5	60-7	61-3
May	58-6	59-3	58-5	59-1
March	56	56-1	55-5	56
Corn—				
July	41-3	42	40-7	41-6
September	42-2	43	42	42-7
May	39-2	39-7	38-7	39-5
March	36-2	36-2	35-5	36-2
Oats—				
July	24-7	25-3	24-5	25-2
July	24-3	25	24-2	25
Rye—				
May	44-5	46	45-1	45-3
July	45-7	47-3	46-6	47-1
September	48-3	48-5	48-3	48-5
March	43-1	43-1	41-7	43-1

Cash Grain Close

Wheat—3 r., 56⅛ to 57⅛; 3 m., 56⅛ to 57⅛; 3 yh., 56⅛ to 58⅛.

Corn—2 m., 36; 2 m., 33¾ to 34; 4 m., 33 to 33⅛; 2 y., 36; 3 y., 33⅞ to 34⅛; 4 y., 33 to 34; 6 y., 38½; 2 w., 38; 3 w., 38 to 38½; 4 w., 34 to 35.

Oats—2 w., 24¼ to 25; 3 w., 23½ to 24; 4 w., 24.

Rye—2, 44½.

RAW SUGAR FIRMER

New York, Feb. 11.—Influenced by the sharp upturn in futures, raw sugar was firmer early to-day, although no business was reported.

Buyers, however, were said to be showing interest at 2.96, or 1-16c above the price paid yesterday, while there was nothing firmly offered below 3.00.

Refined sugar was unchanged at 4.15 for fine granulated, with demand only for immediate requirements.

BROKERS' LOANS

Washington, Feb. 11. — Loans to brokers and dealers held by New York Federal Reserve Member Banks for the week ending February 10 were announced by Federal Reserve Board to-day as $486,000,000, a decrease of $19,000,000, as compared to the preceding week.

The loans for the week ending February 11, 1931, were $1,749,000,000.

HOLIDAY FRIDAY

New York, Feb. 11.—Wall Street was preparing to-day for a complete holiday to-morrow in recognition of Lincoln's birthday. Security and commodity markets, as well as banks and financial institutions, will be closed.

USUAL DIVIDEND

New York, Feb. 11.—Directors of Atlantic Refining Company to-day declared the regular quarterly dividend of 25 cents.

TIRE COMPANY HAS BIG LOSS

Akron, O., Feb. 11.—Net loss of $8,815,653 was announced by the B. F. Goodrich Rubber Company to-day for the year ending December 31, 1931.

NEW YORK WHEAT

New York, Feb. 11.—Bonded wheat closed firm.

	High	Low	Close
May	58⅛	57⅛	58⅛-⅜
July	--	--	59⅝-¾

Latin-American Bonds

(By C. L. H. Branson)

	Bid	Asked
Argentine 6% 1957	51½	52½
Antioquia 7% 1945	11	15
Bolivia 8% 1947	7½	10
Bogota 8% 1945	16½	18
Brazil 6½% 1957	17	18
Buenos Aires 6½% 1961	--	33
Do. 1955	46	48
Chile 6% 1960	11	11½
Do. 7% 1942	16	21
Costa Rica 7% 1951	--	31
Chile Mtge. Bank 6% 1961	11½	13½
Colombia 6% 1961	22½	23
Col. Mtge. Bank 7% 1946	17	23
Peru 6% 1960	8½	9½
Do. 7% 1959	11½	14
Rio de Janeiro 6½% 1953	10½	12
San Paulo City 8% 1952	17	23
San Paulo St. 6% 1968	14	16
Do. 7% 1940	27	30½
Uruguay 6% 1960	30½	33
Do. 8% 1946	38	42

VICTORIA BANK CLEARINGS

Bank clearings for the week ending to-day were $1,427,873, according to official figures released by clearing house authorities this morning.

Figures for the corresponding week of 1931 were $1,763,891.

MARKETS TO KEEP LINCOLN HOLIDAY

New York, Feb. 11 (Associated Press)—There will be a general cessation of business throughout the financial district Friday, Lincoln's birthday. All security and commodity markets as well as banks will be closed.

Governors of the New York Stock Exchange to-day voted against closing the exchange on Saturday, following Lincoln's birthday.

Chicago, Feb. 11 (Associated Press)—The Chicago Board of Trade, the stock, curb and mercantile exchanges will be closed Friday, February 12, Lincoln's birthday. The livestock exchange will be open.

HIGHER CLOSE AT MONTREAL

Montreal, Feb. 11. — The Montreal stock market showed greater activity in the final hour, and best prices were registered at the close. Interlisted issues were chiefly responsive to Wall Street's constructive performance.

Brazilian, Canadian Pacific and International Nickel were all active and at higher prices. Brazilian sold up to 13. International Nickel sold up ⅞, at 9½, and Canadian Pacific sold to 17, closing at 16¼, up ¾.

Massey Harris advanced ½ to 3¾. Canadian Car issues were steddy to firm, while the general list held steady in light trade.

NICKEL, NORANDA UP AT TORONTO

Canadian Press

Toronto, Feb. 11.—Interlisted issues on the Standard Stock and Mining Exchange market responded to the stronger tone on industrial boards to-day, but balance of the list continued irregular in light volume.

International Nickel recorded the best recovery, closing up 80 on the day, and Noranda advanced 50. Sherritt Gordon was under light pressure, down another three cents. Silvers were in better demand, Mining Corporation regaining five and Eldorado a couple.

Ajax, up three, and Peninsula Pete, fractionally higher, showed the only changes in a quiet oil section.

Movements were confined and mixed among the golds. Teck-Hughes, Lake Shore and Wright Hargreaves were all down five. Siscoe was up three in the cheaper group, and Vipond, Kirkland Lake Gold and Moffatt showed small recoveries.

QUIET TRADING AT VANCOUVER

Canadian Press

Vancouver, Feb. 11.—Stocks on the Vancouver Stock Exchange were unmoved by the sensational gains in Wall Street and higher wheat prices in the morning session to-day. Trading was quite light. Pend Oreille made about the only move worth mention, slipping to 98 cents in odd lots after closing strong yesterday at $1.03.

Lorne Gold was selling at 16¾ and 16 and Bridge River brought 9¾. Georgia River was firm at 2¾ and Premier was selling at 59 and 60.

In the oils, Fabyan Pete was firm at 1½ and 1⅝ and Crow's Nest brought 2⅝.

Sales this morning were:

Oils—2,000 Fabyan Pete, at 1⅝, 9,000 at 1½.

Unlisted Oils—100 Dalhousie at 16.

Listed Mines—1,000 Bridge River Con. at 9¾; 3,000 Georgia River at 2¾; 500 Premier Gold at 59, 100 at 60; 2,400 Reno Gold at 23.

Unlisted Mines—5,000 Crow's Nest at 2⅝; 2,650 Lorne Gold at 16, 500 at 16¼, 4,000 at 16¼ (B-60), 600 at 16½; 100 Pend Oreille at 98; 3,000 Porter Idaho at 5½.

Industrials—30 Coast Breweries at 9.55.

To-day's Exchange In U.S. Money

New York, Feb. 11.—Foreign exchange firm.

Great Britain—Demand 3.43⅛; cables 3.43⅜; 60-day bills 3.39½.

France—Demand 3.93⅞; cables 3.93 15-16.

Italy—Demand 5.19; cables 5.19½.

Belgium—Demand 13.95.

Germany—Demand 23.73.

Holland—Demand 40.34.

Norway—Demand 18.71.

Sweden—Demand 19.29.

Denmark—Demand 18.94.

Switzerland—Demand 19.52

Spain—Demand 7.89.

Portugal—Demand 3.15.

Greece—Demand 1.28¾.

Poland—Demand 11.30.

Czechoslovakia—Demand 2.96½.

Jugoslavia—Demand 1.78.

Austria—Demand 13.99.

Roumania—Demand .59¾.

Argentina—Demand 25.73.

Brazil—Demand 6.31½.

Tokio—Demand 35.25.

Shanghai—Demand 32.50.

Montreal—Demand 86.50.

Mexico City—Demand (silver peso) 39.35.

Demand rates are nominal.

New York, Feb. 11.—Call money steady, 2½ per cent all day.

Time loans steady, 60 days 3½ to 3¾; 3-6 months 3½ to 3¾ per cent.

Prime commercial paper 3¾ to 4.

Bankers' acceptances unchanged.

CANADIAN BANKS

(By Logan & Bryan)

	Min prices
Canadienne	135-4
Commerce	186
Dominion	189
Imperial	188
Montreal	216
Nova Scotia	262
Royal	211
Toronto	193

SILVER FUTURES

New York, Feb. 11.—Silver futures closed firm. Sales 275,000 ounces. Quotations in cents:

March, 30.25; May, 30.64; July, 30.90; September, 31.25; October, 31.42.

NEW YORK METALS

New York, Feb. 11.—Copper, steady; electrolytic, spot and futures, 6.

Tin, steadier; spot and nearby, 21.60; futures, 21.75.

Iron, quiet; unchanged.

Lead, steady; spot New York, 3.75; East St. Louis, 3.55.

Zinc, easier; East St. Louis, spot and futures, 2.80.

TORONTO DAIRY MARKET

Toronto, Feb. 11.—The United Farmers' Co-operative Co. to-day supplied the Canadian Press with the following quotations on produce delivered at Toronto:

Eggs—Extras, doz. 21c; firsts, doz. 19c.

Cream—Churning, No. 1, lb., 13-13c.

Creamery Butter—No. 1 solids, lb., 16½-17c.

Potatoes—No. 1, in bags, 37c.

CANADIAN STOCKS

MONTREAL

(By Logan & Bryan)

	High	Low	Bid
Abitibi Power			2-4
Alberta Pacific			4
Asbestos			26
Bell Telephone			119
B.C. Packing			1
Brazilian	12-4	12-2	12-4
B.C. Power B			6
Can. Car Foundry			6-2
Canadian Cement			6
Can. Dist. Alcohol A			1
C.P.R.			16
Can. Steamers			1-2
Cockshutt Plow			4-5
Cons. M. and S.			66-4
Fraser Cos.			1
General Steel Wares			2
Intl. Nickel			9-1
Lake of the Woods			5-6
Massey Harris			3-1
Montreal Power			36
Steel of Canada			20
CURB—			
Associated Breweries			5-4
B.A. Oil			10-2
Distillers Seagram			36
Dryden Paper			1-2
Imperial Oil	9-4	9-2	9-4
Impl. Tobacco Can.			7-4
Intl. Petrol			19-7
Page-Hersey			51
Walker Goodsell			2-7
Intl. Utilities A			6
			Asked
Canada Gypsum			5

TORONTO MINES AND OILS

(By Logan & Bryan)

	Close
Noranda	1615
Pend Oreille	100
Sherritt Gordon	47
Sudbury Basin	36
Wright Hargreaves	277
Teck-Hughes	438
Treadwell Yukon	125
Ventures	43
Mining Corporation	88
McIntyre	1725
Nipissing	75
Nordon Corporation	8
Lake Shore	2860
Kirkland Lake	43
International Nickel	955
Hollinger	500
Hudson Bay M. and S.	210
International Petroleum	1060
Imperial Oil	963
Falconbridge	72
Dome Mines	820
Coast Copper	210
Big Missouri	12½
Amulet	16¼
Moss Mines	32½
Macassa	31
B. A. Oil	990
Pioneer Gold	350
Eldorado	117

TORONTO INDUSTRIALS

(By A. E. Ames & Co.)

11 a.m. (e.s.t.) Quotations

	Bid	Asked
Abitibi Power and Paper pfd.	7	7½
Beatty Bros. com.		10
Do. pfd.	58	60
Bell Telephone		119
Brazilian T.L. and P.	12⅛	12
B.A. Oil	10	10⅛
B.C. Power A		24
Do. B	6	
Building Products A	18½	19
Canadian Bakeries A		3
Canadian Canners B		9
Canadian Cement pfd.	65	65½
Canadian Hydro-electric		66
Canadian Pacific	16⅛	16½
Cockshutt Plow	4½	5½
Con. Smelters	67	67½
Cosmos Imp. com	3¾	
Dominion Bridge		27
Dominion Textile		83½
Ford of Canada A	14½	14½
Frost Steel and Wire pfd.		75
Goodyear Tire	75	79
Gypsum Lime and Alabastine		5
Hinde & Dauch com	¾	1
Imperial Oil	9½	9⅝
Imperial Tobacco	7½	8
International Nickel	9	9⅛
International Petroleum	10⅞	11
International Utilities A	5⅞	6⅝
Lake of the Woods com.	5⅝	
Massey-Harris com.	3½	3¾
McColl Frontenac	9¼	9⅞
Montreal Power		36
National Breweries		24
Ogilvie Flour	185	
Ottawa L.H. and P.	104	105
Page Hersey	52½	53
Power Corporation		36½
Quebec Power		20
Riverside A	10	10½
Service Station A	5¼	5⅞
Do. pfd.	40	
Shawinigan W. and P.		33
Sherwin Williams		17
Steel of Canada com.	20	
Walkers G. and W.	2⅞	3
Winnipeg Electric com.	5	6½
Dome Mines	9.75	9.95
Lake Shore	28.65	28.50
Noranda	15.75	16.00
Sherritt Gordon	.51	.55
Teck-Hughes	4.28	4.35
Ventures	.41	.42
Wright Hargreaves	2.71	2.75

Canadian Bonds

(By Burns & Wainwright)

	Bid	Asked
Dom. of Canada 5½% 1932	100.125	101.125
5½% 1933	100.375	100.875
5½% 1934	99.50	100.00
5% 1937	105.25	106.00
5½% 1937	104.125	104.875
5% 1943	95.125	95.875
4½% 1940	91.375	92.125
4½% 1944	90.625	91.625
4½% 1946	90.125	91.125
4½% 1956	88.375	89.375
4½% 1957	88.375	89.375
4½% 1958	90.00	90.625
4½% 1959	90.00	90.75
C.N.R. 4½% 1951	88.375	89.125
4½% 1956	87.375	88.625
4½% 1968	85.875	86.875
5% 1954	92.375	93.125
5% 1960	93.875	95.125
5% 1970	93.875	94.875
4½% 1955	90.50	91.375
Conversion Loan 5% 1936		98.50
Conversion Loan 5% 1941		97.625
National Service Loan 5% 1946		99.25

All prices subject to 25c per $100 brokerage either way.

(By Robb, Robertson & Birch Ltd.)

	Asked
Provincial—	
Ontario 4½% 1944	93
Do. 5% 1948	94½
Do. 6% 1933	101⅛
Alberta 4½% 1961	79½
Do. 5% 1959	86
Manitoba 4½% 1956	78
Do. 5% 1959	86
Saskatchewan 4½% 1955	90
Do. 5% 1959	90
British Columbia 4½% 1946	90
Do. 5% 1954	91
Public Utility—	
Beauharnois Power 6% 1959	56
Bell Telephone 5%	102
B.C. Power 5½% 1960	86½
Do. 5% 1960	83
B.C. Telephone 5% 1960	93
Calgary Power 5% 1960	81
C.P.R. 4½% 1944	79¼
Do. 5% 1954	82
Canada Steamships 6% 1941	39½
E. Kootenay Power 7% 1942	92
Gatineau Power 5% 1956	78¾
General Steel Wares 6% 1952	43
International Power 6% 1957	66
Montreal Island Power 5½% 1957	90
Montreal Tramways 5% 1955	81½
Montreal Power 5% 1970	95¼
Ontario Power Service 5½% 1950	66
Ottawa L.H. and P. 5% 1957	94
Power Corporation 5% 1952	61
Quebec Power 5% 1968	96
Shawinigan W. and P. 5% 1970	95
Do. 4½%	85
S. Canada Power 5% 1958	95
W. Kootenay Power 5% 1956	92
Western Power 5% 1949	94
Industrial—	
Abitibi Pulp and Paper 5% 1953	48½
Acadia Sugar 6% 1946	84
Alberta Pacific Grain 6% 1946	61
B.A. Oil 5% 1945	89
Burns & Co. 5½% 1948	51
Dominion Canners 6% 1940	100
Dom. Tar and Chemical 6% 1949	83
Dominion Woolens 6% 1948	56
Eastern Dairies 6% 1949	56
Federal Grain 6% 1949	66
Great Lakes Paper 6% 1950	24
Maple Leaf Milling 5½% 1947	64
Massey Harris 5% 1947	63
United Grain Growers 5% 1948	74
Canadian Vickers 6% 1947	72

Foreign Bonds

Bolivia 8% 1947	8
Buenos Aires 6% 1961	32
Colombia 6% 1961	22
Cundinamarca 6½% 1959	12⅞
French Natl. Mail 6% 1952	104
New South Wales 5% 1957	46
Peru 6% 1960	6
Rio Grande do Sul 6% 1963	9
San Paulo 7% 1940	58½

Leading Issues On Wall Street Soar As Government Acts

Canadian Press

New York, Feb. 11.—Stocks surged upward in the broadest advance since mid-December to-day, in response to the Washington project to add new flexibility to the banking system. Leading shares generally gained 2 to 7 points, while Auburn shot up about 15. The closing tone was buoyant, with final prices around the day's best. The turnover approximated 2,700,000 shares, the largest in weeks.

Important quarters in Wall Street viewed the proposed revision of the Federal Reserve Act as the most promising of all measures yet undertaken to break the vicious circle of deflation, although there was some difference of opinion. Shorts were taken by surprise in the stock market, and retired their contracts at swiftly rising prices. It was one of the few times in the last two years that the market has managed to break out of a narrow rut on the upside.

Final prices were in the main close to the day's best, which were largely made in the middle of the afternoon. Issues up 5 to 7 points, net, included American Telephone, U.S. Steel, American Can, Union Pacific, Allied Chemical, Santa Fe, Du Pont and American Tobacco B., New York Central, North American, Sears-Roebuck and Southern Pacific were up 3 or more at the close, and General Motors, Bethlehem Steel and Standard of New Jersey, 2 or more.

To-day's stock sales by Logan and Bryan: Allied Chemical, 28,600; American Can, 60,000; American Foreign Power, 7,500; American Tobacco "B", 13,300; Bendix Aviation, 11,300; Bethlehem Steel, 27,000; Case Threshing, 72,200; Chrysler, 25,500; Electric Power and Light, 9,000; General Motors, 164,000; Kroger, 3,900; Kennecott Copper, 18,700; International Telephone, 8,800; Johns - Manville, 15,900; Montgomery-Ward, 23,600; North American, 25,800; Radio Corporation, 29,800; United Aircraft, 54,900; U.S. Steel, 186,500; Vanadium, 4,900; Westinghouse, 52,900; Worthington Pump, 4,700; McKeesport, 6,600.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

THURSDAY, FEB. 11

(By Logan & Bryan)

Thirty industrials climbed 6.81 points, closing at 78.61, on the New York stock market to-day. Twenty rails closed at 35.57, up 2.56, and twenty utilities at 31.30, up 1.95.

The sensational upward climb of thirty industrials is shown in the following figures for the day's trading:

10.30—77.07, up 5.27.
11.30—77.43, up 5.63.
12.30—77.26, up 5.46.
1.30—78.55, up 6.75.
2.00—78.40, up 6.60.
2.30—78.82, up 7.02.
Final, 3 p.m.—78.61, up 6.81.

Sales totaled 2,600,000, as follows:
10.30— 600,000.
12.00—1,500,000.
1.30—2,000,000.
2.10—2,100,000.
Total—2,600,000.

Standard averages closed as follows:
50 industrials, 62.53.
20 rails, 34.11.
20 utilities, 38.54.
90 stocks, 64.51.

Electrical and Manufacturing	High	Low	Close
Allis Chalmers Mfg.	11-7	11-6	11-7
Elec. Auto Lite	28	25-2	27-4
Elec. Storage Battery	30-4	..	30-4
Foster Wheeler	9-4	..	9-4
General Electric	20-6	19	20-2
Westinghouse Electric	27-3	25-4	26-5
Elec. Bond and Share	11-2	10-1	11
Miscellaneous and Manufacturing			
Abitibi P. and P.	2-2	..	2-2
American Can Co.	63	59-5	62-6
Bendix	17	16	17
Burroughs Adding	10-4	10-1	10-4
Case Threshing	32	28-4	31-4
Congoleum Nairn	10-2	9-6	10-2
Continental Can	35-6	34-4	35-3
Curtiss Wright	1-7	1-5	1..
Dupont de Nemours	53-1	50-2	52-1
Eastman Kodak	74-1	69-4	72-1
Gillette	16-1	14-3	16-1
Gold Dust	17-1	16-5	17
Int. Harvester	24-6	23-4	24-4
Nat. Cash Register	9-2	8-4	9-1
North American Aviation	3-3	..	3-3
Pullman	21-3	19-2	21-3
Radio Corp. of America	8-3	7-3	8-
Remington Rand	2-3	..	2-3
Simmons Co.	7-6	..	7-6
Underwood Typewriter	16-4	..	16-4
United Aircraft	15-2	13-7	14-7
Worthington Pump	20	17-6	19-5
Rails			
Allegheny Corp.	2-4	2-3	2-4
Atchison	77-6	74-2	77-4
Atlantic Coast	30	28-4	30
Balt. and Ohio	17-3	15-4	16-5
Canadian Pacific	14-6	13-7	14-6
Ches. and Ohio	24-4	22	23-4
Chicago and N.W.	8-2	8-2	8-2
Chicago Great Western	3-3	..	3-3
Chi. and St. Paul	2-4	2-3	2-4
Chicago Rock Island	11-7	10-7	11-
Del. and Hudson	73	..	73
Del. Lack. and Western	20-2	19-2	20
Erie	7-6	7-2	7-3
Great Northern pfd.	19	16-4	19
Ill. Central	13-3	12-6	12-6
Lehigh Valley	15	..	15
Mo., K. and Texas	6	5-6	6
Missouri Pacific	8-5	7-4	8-4
Do. pfd.	19	17	18-6
N.Y. Central	26-5	26-4	26-2
N.Y. N.H. and H.	26-5	23-6	25-7
Norfolk and Western	122	..	122
Northern Pacific	19-6	19	19-2
Pennsylvania Railroad	21	19	20-2
St. Louis San Francisco	4-4	..	4-4
Southern Pacific	21-6	20-4	21-6
Southern Railway	9-1	8-4	9-1
Steel and Iron			
Amn. Car and Foundry	7-2	7	7
Amn. Locomotive	6-4	..	6-4
Amn. Steel Foundry	6-5	..	6-5
Baldwin Locomotive	19-4	17-8	18-2
A. M. Byers Co.	13-4	12-4	13-3
General Tank	30-6	29-2	30-6
Lima Locomotive	13-4	13	13-4
N.Y. Airbrake	6	..	6
Rep. Iron and Steel	5-7	5-3	5-7
U.S. Cast Iron Pipe	14-2	13-4	14-2
U.S. Steel	44-2	40-2	43-7
Vanadium	14-2	13	14-2
Westinghouse Airbrake	14-4	..	14-4
Automobiles and Accessories			
Auburn	112	100	109-6
Briggs	9	8-2	8-6
Chrysler	12-4	11-2	12-1
General Motors, xd.	22-1	20-3	21-5
Hudson	8-4	8-2	8-4
Hupmobile	4-2	4	4-1
Mack Truck	14	13-1	14
Nash	17-1	15-4	17-1
Packard	3-7	3-4	3-6
Stewart Warner	5	..	5
Studebaker	10-7	10-3	10-7
Timken Roller	20-4	18-4	20-4
White	9-5	..	9-5
Willys Overland	2-2	..	2-2
Tires and Rubber			
Goodrich	4	..	4
Goodyear	15-4	14-7	15-2
Kelly Springfield	1-6	..	1-6
U.S. Rubber	3-7	..	3-7
Public Utility			
Amn. Foreign Power	7-3	7	7-3
Amn. P. and L., xd.	14-4	13-6	14-4
Amn. Tel. and Telegr.	118-5	113	118
Amn. Waterworks	29-2	26-6	29-2
Brook. Man.	4	3-2	4
Columbia Gas	13-7	12-6	13-5
Consol. Gas, N.Y.	59	56-3	58-2
Elec. P. and L.	13	12-2	12-6
Inter. Tel. and Teleg.	9-4	8-6	9-3
North American	33-3	31	33-2
Pacific Gas and Elec.	34-3	33-6	34-3
South. Calif. Edison	29-6	..	29-6
Stand. Gas and Elec.	28-2	28	28-2
Stone and Webster	11-4	10-3	11-4
United Corp.	9	8-2	8-7
Util. P. and L. A.	8-6	8-3	8-4
Western Union	39	35	38-5
National P. and L.	14	13	14
Public Service	51-7	50-4	51-7
Food Products			
Borden Co.	37-6	36	37-6
California Packing	10-3	..	10-2
Coca Cola	108-4	102-1	108-4
Cont. Baking A	5	4-7	5
Corn Products	43-5	42	43-4
Cuban Amn. Sugar	1-4	..	1-4
General Foods	34-1	33-4	34
National Biscuit	42-2	39-2	42-2
Nat. Dairy Prods.	24-6	23-5	24-5
Penick and Ford	26-4	25-4	26-4
Safeway Stores	47-6	44	47-6
Standard Brands	12-4	12-2	12-4
United Fruit	22-6	22	22-6
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Can a Goat Become a Man?

Dorothy Dix

Says Men Often Become Goats

A YOUNG German girl, who is a student of witchcraft, has announced that she will "pass a miracle," as they say in "Green Pastures," and by the use of magic turn a goat into a youth of surpassing beauty. Maybe. How susceptible goats are to the Black Art we do not know, but it is no trick at all for a pretty girl to turn a man into a goat. We see it done every day of the week.

How she does it is her own trade secret, but practically every flapper has changed some once proud and independent lad into her own pet Billy, who eats out of her hands and hauls her about to places of amusement in his little go-cart and is generally a beast of burden for her and who bleats with delight if she will occasionally give him a pat on the head.

You can see the faithful creature standing by on the side lines at the party to which he has taken a girl watching her dance with other men and going home by his lonesome if some other man offers her a joyride in his flivver. You can watch him toiling to earn the money to give the girl wrist watches and costume jewelry and silk stockings and corsage bouquets and the other dodads for which she has an insatiable yen. You can observe him hanging faithfully around her doorstep year after year, humbly grateful for the empty tin cans of a few kind words that she throws out to him after she has feasted other men on their contents of sweetness and affection.

As for wives, they are past mistresses of the conjure that turns men into goats, and if every bridegroom realized his danger he would go to the altar with his fingers crossed and the left hind foot of a graveyard rabbit that had been killed in the dark of the moon in his pocket.

For little as he suspects it, for many a young husband the murmured words that his bride whispers in his ears and the gentle strokes she gives his hair are nothing but the incantations she is saying over him and the mystic passes she is making that are changing him into the family goat. We have all seen herds of these tamed and house-broken animals who are so thoroughly domesticated that they obey their mistress's every command and follow at her heels without ever having to be even on a lead rope.

Sometimes the poor goat spends his whole life after he is married working to support his wife's family. Paying father out of debt. Paying for mother's operations and having her teeth fixed. Paying for brother's college education and sister's party frocks.

Generally he works himself to death providing his wife and children with own houses and country houses and trips and fine cars and glad raiment for which he never gets even so much as a "thank you." Always he is bossed out of his life and treated with disdain. Always he has the poorest clothes and gets the neck and the back of the chicken and the tail end of the steak and has no place in the house he supports to call his own.

The family goat is always a pitiful creature. Especially pathetic when you reflect that he was once a free man who was admired and cut a figure in the world and who expected to be happy when he married. But nothing can be done for him, poor thing, for only his wife can break the spell under which she put him when she changed him into a goat, and that she will never do.

And there are women who have the power to change men into other animals than goats. I have seen a woman marry a warm-hearted, gay-spirited, friendly young man and metamorphose him into a surly bear, who snapped and bit at every one until it was not safe to go near him. Just what a hell's brew the wives concoct and feed the husbands on, that turns kindly men into ferocious beasts, no one knows but themselves, but it works. We have viewed the result with amazement too often not to believe in it.

And I have seen wives turn altruistic young men who loved their fellow men into hogs whose only idea in life was to grab everything in sight and get the best for themselve, and the magic words these women used was just to cry More! More! More! More money, More jewels, More luxuries. Until finally they did their deadly work and turned the men into swine.

And more than once I have seen a woman change a plain, ordinary commonplace man into a bird with wings that soared to the highest peaks. Left to himself he would only have been a barnyard fowl, content to scratch for a mere living, but she did something mysterious and occult to him that lighted the fires of ambition in his soul. She made some medicine that gave him powers that he had not had before and that enabled him to achieve things of which he was not capable except for her. It is the white magic that wives compound that is the secret of most men's success.

Oh, there is nothing new about women being witches and putting spells and curses on men. They have always done it. So perhaps the German sorceress can change her goat into a youth of surpassing beauty after all.

DOROTHY DIX.

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Uncle Ray's Corner

Ocean Birds

Around the large lakes of Canada, and along the Atlantic and Pacific Coasts, one may often see great flocks of gulls but when we make a first ocean trip, it may come as a surprise to find birds a thousand miles from land.

Stormy petrels are common on the Atlantic, and have long been an object of interest to sailors. They are probably among the birds which were seen by Columbus on his first trip to America.

Lonely sailors have come to dread the petrels and to think that they had something to do with storms. For this reason, they have been termed "Mother Carey's Chickens." Mother Carey, in sailor lore, was a witch who caused storms; and the petrels were called her "chickens" because they were so often seen during storms.

We know that storms could not be caused by a witch or by birds. The reason petrels fly so eagerly at such times is because the waves then bring a larger supply of food to the surface. Stormy petrels feed mainly on small fish and the young of shellfish. The latter are found in floating masses of sargasso, a seaweed common in the north Atlantic.

Stormy petrels—which have bodies about the size of a blackbird's—are the smallest birds with webbed feet. The feet are used for paddling, when the birds skim the surface in their battle to obtain food.

During ten months of the year the stormy petrel seldom if ever alights on solid ground. It remains over the ocean surface, finding rest from time to time on the floating islands of seaweed.

During two months of the year, usually June and July, the birds go to solid ground for the breeding season. Most of them fly to the Shetland Islands of the Orkneys.

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To-morrow—The Great Horned Owl.

Uncle Ray

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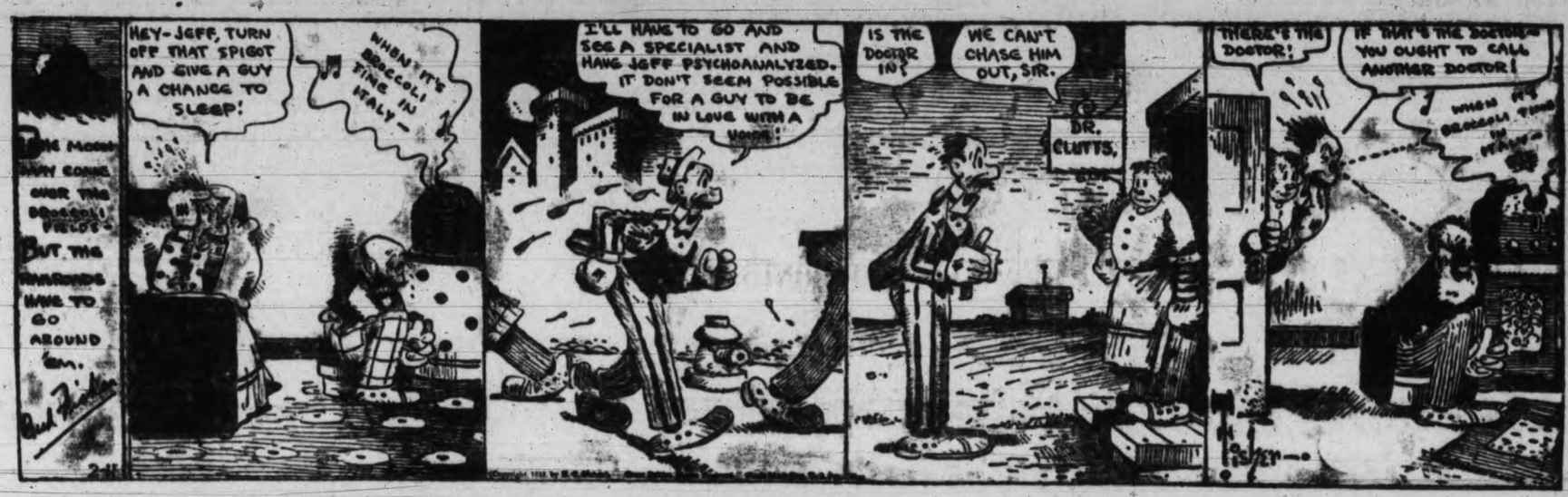
Mr. And Mrs.—

Mutt And Jeff—



The Gumps—

Ella Cinders—

Bringing Up Father—

Boots And Her Buddies—

SHIPPING, RAILWAY AND AVIATION NEWS

Cocos Island Treasure Hunt To Start Shortly

On one of the most romantic treasure hunts of recent years, the Seattle motorship Silver Wave will sail from Vancouver early next week to storied Cocos Island, where pirate chieftains and their gangs held sway in years long gone and hid their loot of gold and jewels beneath the sands.

Victorians are interested in this expedition for many people have shares in the company formed to make the trip. It was advertised as an adventure and shares were placed on sale, with no guarantee. If any treasure is found the harvest of the share holders will be enormous, they were told, even if nothing concrete is located the shareholders stand to divide the profit made on motion pictures or books about the expedition. Hundreds of shares were sold.

The motorship Silver Wave was chartered yesterday by the Arctic Transport Company of Seattle to the Cocos Island Treasure Company Limited, organized in Vancouver to finance the hunt. The vessel has been taken for three months. She will leave the Lake Union Drydock and Machine Works on Sunday to be delivered to her charterers.

The Silver Wave for several years has been the first vessel to leave Seattle each spring for Nome laden with passengers and freight. During the summer months she has been operated in the Alaska coastal trade between Nome, St. Michael and Kotzebue. She is of eighty-two gross tons, has a lengthy of fifty-nine feet, a width of eighteen feet, and a depth of ten feet. She was built in Seattle in 1925.

Capt. Eldred Hansen, master, and Clare McDowell, chief engineer of the Silver Wave, will make the voyage to the Cocos Islands. The expedition has been organized by Colonel J. E. Leckie of Vancouver.

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Mail intended for transmission via New York must be so marked. When sent by air over United States lines, mail for New York can be sent two days later than the dates indicated.

PILOTS' LOOKOUT

Soyo Maur, passed Victoria, bound Fraser River ports, 4 a.m.

Buenos Aires, passed Victoria, outbound, 4 a.m.

Bordeaux Maru, passed Victoria, bound Vancouver, 5 a.m.

Donau, passed Victoria, bound Vancouver, from Germany, 7 a.m.

West Honaker, passed Victoria, outbound, 8.30 a.m.

Delftdyk, docked Victoria, from Rotterdam and London, 9.15 a.m., proceeded to Vancouver 11.30 a.m.

Sunnanvik, passed Victoria, outbound, noon.

Ruth Alexander, due Victoria, from California ports, 10.30 p.m.

Princess Maquinna, to sail from Victoria, for West Coast ports, 11 p.m.

Akagisan Maru, due Race Rocks, bound Vancouver, from Japan, 11 p.m.

SEATTLE SHIPPING

Seattle, Feb. 11—Purchase of the wooden motorship ZR3 from the Atlantic and Pacific Packing Company of New York City, was announced yesterday by Capt. J. C. Brownfield, her new owner. He was former head and general manager of the Washington Tug and Barge Company here.

The ZR3, a 2,240-ton vessel, now tied up here, was operated in the herring packing industry of Alaska but will be fitted as a deep water cargo carrier by Capt. Brownfield. She is able to stow 3,500 tons of cargo, and has fuel tanks sufficient for a voyage to Australia or the Orient without refueling.

B.C. SHIPS MUCH GRAIN

Shipments Out of Vancouver During Last Week Totalled 1,905,054 Bushels

Vancouver, Feb. 11.—Grain exports from Vancouver for the crop year to date were 40,243,694 bushels, according to the regular weekly report of the Vancouver merchants' exchange. The shipments during the past seven days were 1,905,054 bushels.

Grain exports at this time last year were 43,001,312 bushels. Vancouver storage elevators, at 8 a.m. yesterday reported 11,034,098 bushels in store, and the railways reported 759,400 bushels on car terminals and 999,000 bushels en route on lines in British Columbia.

There are ships in port to-day for 1,066,560 bushels, while balance of February bookings are 1,884,933 bushels. Incomplete March bookings disclosed to date are for 408,666 bushels.

RUTH DUE TO-NIGHT

From San Diego, Los Angeles and San Francisco, the Pacific Steamship Company's liner Ruth Alexander will reach the Rithet piers this evening at 10.30 o'clock, W. M. Allan, local agent, was advised by the master of the ship this morning by wireless.

After leaving passengers and cargo here the ship will proceed to Seattle at midnight.

ACTOR TO CRUISE THE SOUTH SEAS

San Pedro, Feb. 11.—The auxiliary schooner Invader, chartered by Douglas Fairbanks, sailed Tuesday for the South Seas, to be joined by the motion picture star when the vessel reaches Papeete, Tahiti.

Fairbanks said he would sail from San Francisco for Papeete February 17, and that, cruising the South Seas, he would shoot at least 100,000 feet of film for a picture tentatively entitled "Tropical Night."

He will be accompanied by William Farnum, screen actor, and Edward Sutherland, director. Fairbanks and his wife, Mary Pickford, waved farewell when the Invader left her dock Tuesday afternoon.

Spoken By Wireless

February 10, 8 p.m.—Shipping:

SAN PEDRO MARU, bound San Francisco from Yokohama, 1,163 miles from San Francisco.

ONTARIOLITE, San Pedro to Vancouver, 583 miles from Vancouver.

CANADIAN WINNER, Halifax to Victoria, 1,517 miles from Victoria.

AORANGI, Victoria to Sydney, 151 miles south of Honolulu.

AKAGISAN MARU, Yokohama to Vancouver, 386 miles from Vancouver.

SHIDZUOKA MARU, Victoria to Yokohama, 200 miles from Victoria.

CANADIAN PLANTER, bound Vancouver, 800 miles from Vancouver.

RUTH ALEXANDER, San Francisco to Victoria, 304 miles from Victoria.

February 11, 12 noon—Weather:

Estevan—Part cloudy; northwest; fresh; 30.02; 40; sea, light swell.

Pachena—Cloudy; northwest; light; 29.94; 37; sea, light swell.

DUTCH SHIP HERE TO-DAY

Ms. Delftdyk Arrives Here After Four-week Passage From Rotterdam and London

Ms. Pacific Pioneer Expected Here Saturday From United Kingdom Ports

A touch of Holland came to the outer docks this morning when the passenger and freight motorship Delftdyk of the Holland-America fleet arrived at 9.15 o'clock from Rotterdam, London and Swansea, by way of the Panama Canal and California ports. All members of the crew are Dutch, and have their homes in various parts of Holland, most of them residing in the seaport towns near the famous Zuyder Zee.

There was only one passenger aboard the Delftdyk when she docked this morning. This was Mrs. M. Gray of Los Angeles, en route to Vancouver. All the passengers from Europe left at Los Angeles and San Francisco earlier in the week. The ship is well booked for her return trip to Holland.

Capt. J. P. Wepster, master of the ship, reported an average four-week trip from England. Since leaving San Francisco Monday evening, he said, the weather had been rough, and the ship did a great deal of rolling about. South of San Francisco it was extremely foggy, he reported.

Before proceeding to Vancouver dock workers discharged sixty tons of general cargo from the Delftdyk. A. P. Moffatt, local agent, looked after the ship during her stay here and showed a number of visitors over the vessel. There were many callers on board today, including a number of prairie visitors to Victoria, who do not often get the opportunity to inspect a deep-sea vessel.

Although no word has been received regarding the present whereabouts of the ship, the Furness (Pacific) motorship Pacific Pioneer is scheduled to arrive here Saturday morning from ports in the United Kingdom, by way of the Panama Canal and San Francisco. She was to have sailed from the Golden Gate port yesterday evening.

The Pioneer has passengers and cargo for Victoria and Vancouver.

FLOUR SHIP IS STILL TIED UP

Tacoma, Feb. 11.—No further orders have been received by the master of the Danish motorship Stjerneberg, which has been tied up in Tacoma, fully loaded, because her owners refuse to send her to war-torn Shanghai.

The vessel completed a cargo of 8,500 tons of flour, valued at $240,000, Saturday for the China Flood Relief Commission. She is under charter to W. L. Comyn & Sons of Seattle. The Stjerneberg has been shifted from a flour mill in Tacoma to an unused coal dock in that port, where she will be tied up until her owners decide what to do with her.

Transportation Men Are Congratulated

Many of the transportation men in all parts of the world receiving birthday congratulations in this month's issue of The Canadian Railway and Marine World are a number well known in Victoria.

They include Allan Cameron, Oriental manager for the Canadian Pacific Railway at Hongkong, who was born near Owen Sound, Ontario, March 14, 1864; Edward Hospes, general passenger agent for the C.P.R. at Yokohama, who was born at Chicago, March 13, 1866; C. J. Smith, ex-vice-president of the Canadian National Railways in charge of European affairs, who was born in Hamilton, March 10, 1862; Arthur A. Tisdale, general manager for the western region of the Canadian National Railways, who was born at Mount Vernon, Ontario, March 8, 1874; Albert T. Weldon, ex-vice-president of the traffic and express departments of the Canadian National at Montreal, who was born at Dorchester, New Brunswick, March 6, 1876; A. Watt, master mechanic for the C.N.R. at Prince George, who was born at St. Louis, Quebec, March 5, 1874.

The Weather

Daily Bulletin Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department

Victoria, 5 a.m., Feb. 11.—The barometer is rising on the Coast and unsettled weather continues over this province. Lower temperatures are becoming general in the prairie provinces, accompanied with light snowfalls.

Reports

Victoria—Barometer, 29.92; temperature, maximum yesterday 42, minimum 36; wind, 10 miles W.; rain, .06; fair.

Vancouver—Barometer, 29.88; temperature, maximum yesterday 44, minimum 32; calm; clear.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 29.88; temperature, maximum yesterday 36, minimum 28; wind, 4 miles N.E.; snow, 5.6; cloudy.

Estevan Point—Barometer, 29.92; temperature, maximum yesterday 40, minimum 32; wind, 15 miles N.W.; rain, .12; clear.

Tatoosh—Barometer, 29.94; temperature, maximum yesterday 40, minimum 36; wind, 18 miles W.; rain, .18; raining.

Portland, Ore.—Barometer, 30.00; temperature, maximum yesterday 44, minimum 38; wind, 12 miles S.W.; rain, .40; raining.

Seattle—Barometer, 29.92; temperature, maximum yesterday 44, minimum 36; wind, 18 miles N.E.; rain, .06; raining.

San Francisco—Barometer, 30.16; temperature, maximum yesterday 56, minimum 44; wind, 4 miles N.E.; clear.

Temperatures

	Max.	Min.
Victoria	42	36
Nanaimo	44	30
Vancouver	44	32
New Westminster	46	30
Kamloops	39	18
Prince George	20	— 8
Dawson	—40	—52
Penticton	40	..
Grand Forks	37	..
Nelson	36	..
Calgary	30	2
Edmonton	8	—14
Saskatoon	9	— 6
Moose Jaw	37	— 5
Qu'Appelle	36	— 2
Regina	34	— 8
Winnipeg	28	26
Yesterday:		
Toronto	36	30
Ottawa	18	2
Montreal	16	2
St. John	22	— 2
Halifax	24	— 4

Forecast

Victoria and vicinity for 36 hours ending 8 p.m. Friday: Decreasing westerly winds, partly cloudy and colder at night.

MILL BAY FERRY

Leave Brentwood	Leave Mill Bay
9.00 a.m.	9.35 a.m.
10.10 a.m.	10.45 a.m.
11.30 a.m.	12.15 p.m.
12.45 p.m.	1.30 p.m.
2.40 p.m.	3.15 p.m.
4.15 p.m.	5.00 p.m.

Salt Spring

Ganges, Feb. 11.—The death took place on Saturday at the Lady Minto Hospital of Mrs. Pyatt, wife of Francis William Pyatt of Beaver Point Road. The funeral took place on Monday, the service being held in the United Church at Fulford and interment made in St. Mary's Churchyard.

Mrs. Harold Price and two children of "Mereside" have been visiting Maple Bay where they were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Walcot.

W. A. Brown has returned to his home at Quathiaski Cove, after a visit to Salt Spring Island.

Mrs. E. Pollard and her daughter Diana, of Pender Island were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. Loosmore.

C. A. Goodrich, who has been a patient in the Lady Minto Hospital, has recovered sufficiently to be able to return home to Vesuvius Bay.

Miss K. Smith of Ganges, has been spending a week in Victoria, the guest of Mrs. C. A. Morris.

Arthur Hepburn of Fulford Harbor has left for Nootka where he will spend two months.

J. Christie of Banff was a recent visitor to Salt Spring Island as the guest of Captain and Mrs. M. F. Macintosh.

A. Byngs has returned to his home at Fulford Harbor from St. Joseph's Hospital.

Moonrise and Moonset

Time of moonrise and moonset at Victoria, B.C. (Pacific Standard Time) for the month of February, 1932.

Day	Rises Hour	Sets Hour	Phases
11	9.13 a.m.	11.11 p.m.	
12	9.28 a.m.	.....	
13	9.45 a.m.	0.19 a.m.	
14	10.08 a.m.	1.28 a.m.	
15	10.39 a.m.	2.38 a.m.	
16	11.19 a.m.	3.46 a.m.	
17	12.13 p.m.	4.47 a.m.	
18	1.20 p.m.	5.38 a.m.	
19	2.39 p.m.	6.19 a.m.	
20	4.02 p.m.	6.49 a.m.	
21	5.27 p.m.	7.13 a.m.	
22	6.52 p.m.	7.33 a.m.	
23	8.16 p.m.	7.51 a.m.	
24	9.41 p.m.	8.07 a.m.	
25	11.07 p.m.	8.26 a.m.	
26	.....	8.46 a.m.	
27	0.32 a.m.	9.15 a.m.	
28	1.55 a.m.	9.50 a.m.	
29	3.11 a.m.	10.37 a.m.	

Sunrise and Sunset

Time of sunrise and sunset (Pacific Standard Time), at Victoria, B.C., for the month of February, 1932.

Day	Sunrise Hour	Sunset Hour
11	7.27	5.2
12	7.26	5.2
13	7.24	5.3
14	7.22	5.3
15	7.21	5.3
16	7.19	5.3
17	7.17	5.3
18	7.16	5.3
19	7.14	5.3
20	7.13	5.4
21	7.11	5.4
22	7.09	5.4
23	7.07	5.4
24	7.05	5.4
25	7.03	5.4
26	7.01	5.5
27	6.59	5.5
28	6.57	5.5
29	6.55	5.5

$40,000 Stock of Home Furnishings Sacrificed In This Sensational Event Commencing To-morrow!

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The recent fire in our premises caused such smoke damage that it has taken almost two weeks to clean up and get ready for this huge Fire Sale. But what an opportunity it will be for thrifty folk to furnish at bargain prices! Reductions throughout the store are tremendous as we intend to make a clean sweep of everything. No matter how slight the smoke damage nothing escapes the store-wide reductions in effect during this spectacular sale.

Thousands of Yards of Curtain Materials at Fire Salvage Prices

CURTAIN LENGTHS
Five-yard lengths of beautiful curtain materials. Madras, marquisettes, nets, scrims, rayons, etc. Some slightly discolored by smoke. Values to $1.25 a yard. Fire Sale Price 5-yard lengths ..... 50c to $2.00

CRETONNES
1000 yards of Cretonnes in artistic colors and patterns. Regular 60c a yard. Fire Sale Price 35c

CURTAINS BY THE PAIR
Attractive rayon and net panels in the smartest designs. All prices reduced 20% to 35%.

Lamps, Occasional Tables, Easy Chairs, Etc., Reduced to the Limit

SLEEPY HOLLOW CHAIRS
Fine quality tapestry covers. Values to $22.50. Sale prices from .. $12.50

OCCASIONAL TABLES AND CHESTERFIELD TABLES
of selected walnut. Sale prices from $9.75

METAL FERN STANDS
Values to $7.00. Fire Sale prices from.... $3.25

LAMPS
Standard and Bridge Lamps with beautifully decorated parchment, silk and novelty shades. Regular $12.50 to $24.00. Fire Sale prices from $9.00

DOWN COMFORTERS
Covered in sateen. Perfect condition.
Regular $13.50. Fire Sale price $8.25
Regular $10.00. Fire Sale price $6.50

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Artistic styles in rayon cushions. Regular $2.25. Fire sale prices
$1.25 and $1.50

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Walnut. Values to $13.50. Fire Sale prices from
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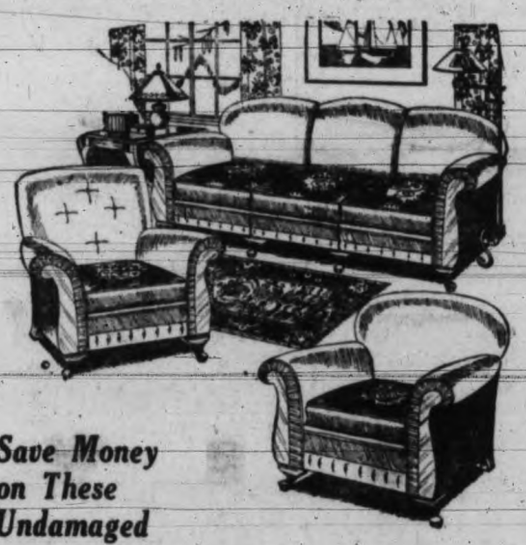

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Deepsea Movements

TO ARRIVE

FEBRUARY

PACIFIC PIONEER, United Kingdom, February 13.

EMPRESS OF ASIA, Manila, Hongkong, Shanghai and Yokohama, February 22.

YOKOHAMA MARU, China and Japan, February 23.

PRESIDENT MADISON, Philippines, China and Japan, February 23.

NIAGARA, Sydney, Auckland, Suva and Honolulu, February 26.

PACIFIC TRADER, United Kingdom, February 27.

MARCH

EMPRESS OF CANADA, Manila, Hongkong, Shanghai and Yokohama, March 6.

HEIAN MARU (to Vancouver), China and Japan, March 7.

PRESIDENT CLEVELAND, Philippines, China and Japan, March 8.

PACIFIC EXPORTER, United Kingdom, March 12.

HIKAWA MARU (to Vancouver), China and Japan, March 21.

EMPRESS OF RUSSIA, Manila, Hongkong, Shanghai and Yokohama, March 21.

PRESIDENT TAFT, Philippines, China and Japan, March 22.

AORANGI, Sydney, Suva and Honolulu, March 25.

PACIFIC SHIPPER, United Kingdom, March 26.

TO SAIL

FEBRUARY

PACIFIC PIONEER (from Vancouver), United Kingdom, February 20.

PRESIDENT JEFFERSON, Japan, China and Philippines, February 20.

HIYE MARU (from Vancouver), Japan and China, February 25.

EMPRESS OF ASIA, Yokohama, Shanghai, Hongkong and Manila, February 27.

MARCH

NIAGARA, Honolulu, Suva, Auckland and Sydney, March 2.

PRESIDENT MADISON, Japan, China and Philippines, March 5.

PACIFIC TRADER (from Vancouver), United Kingdom, March 5.

YOKOHAMA MARU, Japan and China, March 8.

EMPRESS OF CANADA, Honolulu, Yokohama, Shanghai, Hongkong and Manila, March 12.

PRESIDENT CLEVELAND, Japan, China and Philippines, March 19.

PACIFIC EXPORTER (from Vancouver), United Kingdom, March 19.

HEIAN MARU (from Vancouver), Japan and China, March 24.

EMPRESS OF RUSSIA, Japan, China and Philippines, March 26.

AORANGI, Honolulu, Suva, Auckland and Sydney, March 30.

Transpacific Mails

CHINA AND JAPAN

Close 4 p.m., Feb. 20, Pres. Jefferson; due Yokohama, March 4; Shanghai, March 8; Hongkong, March 11.

Close 11.15 p.m., Feb. 24, Hiye Maru, via Vancouver; due Yokohama, March 9.

Close 4 p.m., Feb. 27, Empress of Asia; due Yokohama, March 10; Shanghai, March 14; Hongkong, March 17.

AUSTRALIA AND NEW ZEALAND

Close 11.15 p.m., Feb. 14, Makura, via San Francisco; due Wellington, March 7; Sydney, March 12.

Close 11.15 p.m., Feb. 22, Sierra, via San Francisco; due Auckland, March 18; Sydney, March 22.

Close 5 p.m., March 2, Niagara; due Auckland, March 21; Sydney, March 26.

Vessel Movements

Seattle, Feb. 10.—Arrived: Glymont, Sound ports; Silverado, San Francisco; New Westminster City, Shanghai; Hawaiian, Cricket, Tacoma; Pacific Enterprise, Manchester; Warwick, Los Angeles; Golden Star, Hongkong; Manini, Honolulu; Bellingham, Taku Bar; Admiral Day, San Francisco; Knute Nelson, Vancouver. Sailed: Knute Nelson, Oslo; Point San Pablo, Warwick, Los Angeles; Manini, Honolulu; Dorothy Alexander, San Diego; Witell, Hamburg; Cadaretta, Tacoma.

Portland, Ore., Feb. 10.—Arrived: El Segundo, Fort Bragg, San Francisco; Ms. Silver Maple, Calcutta. Sailed: Eleanor Christenson, Baltimore.

Tacoma, Feb. 10.—Arrived: Glymont, Everett; New Westminster City, Shanghai; Architect, Seattle; Petroleum No. 2, Point Wells; Cadaretta, Los Angeles; Knute Nelson, Oslo. Sailed: Otrifico, Vancouver; Manila, San Francisco; Cricket, Los Angeles; Hawaiian, Boston; Glymont, Los Angeles; Loch Monar, Rotterdam; Architect, Liverpool; New Westminster City, Cardiff; Petroleum No. 2, Point Wells.

San Francisco, Feb. 10.—Arrived: Peter Helms, Astoria; Otrifico, Eagle Harbor; Betterton, Portland; Paul Shoup, Everett; Carrisa, Sydney; Admiral Benn, Portland; Sierra, Sydney. Sailed: Matsonia, Honolulu; Ruth Alexander, Chehalis, San Pedro; Tacoma, Hamburg; Yorkmar, Portland.

Arrived

Bremen, Feb. 10.—Bremen, New York.

Madeira, Feb. 10.—Empress of Australia, New York.

Bombay, Feb. 10.—Resolute, New York.

Sailed

Southampton, Feb. 10. — Majestic, New York.

Tide Table

FEBRUARY

Date	Time h. m.	Ht ft.	Time h. m.	Ht ft.	Time h. m.	Ht ft.	Time h. m.	Ht ft.
11	6.30	8.3	13.09	5.4	17.47	6.2	21.20	5.3
12	6.46	8.4	14.05	4.8	20.53	5.9	22.15	5.8
13	7.05	8.5	15.06	4.3	....	..	....	..
14	7.12	8.7	15.56	3.8	....	..	....	..
15	7.16	8.9	16.50	3.3	....	..	....	..
16	7.10	9.0	17.38	2.8	....	..	....	..
17	7.40	9.2	18.22	2.3	....	..	....	..
18	9.22	9.2	19.02	1.8	....	..	....	..
19	10.45	9.2	19.40	1.4	....	..	....	..
20	8.37	9.1	7.21	9.3	11.50	9.1	20.10	1.3
21	4.35	9.1	8.13	9.2	12.30	9.0	20.55	1.6
22	4.46	9.0	9.04	8.8	13.50	8.7	21.31	2.2
23	4.51	8.6	9.54	8.3	14.52	8.2	22.10	3.0
24	5.06	8.1	10.50	5.0	16.08	7.6	22.45	4.0
25	5.29	8.2	11.47	4.3	17.40	7.1	23.18	5.2
26	5.44	8.0	12.48	3.4	19.05	6.7	23.40	6.2
27	6.04	8.0	13.50	2.7	....	..	....	..
28	6.25	8.1	14.55	2.3	....	..	....	..
29	6.45	8.2	16.00	1.9	....	..	....	..

The figures for height serve to distinguish high water from low water. Where blanks occur in the tables the tide rises or falls continuously during three of the usual tidal periods.

The height is in feet and tenths of a foot, measured from the average level of low water.

SAN FRANCISCO SHIPPING

San Francisco, Feb. 11.—Of forty-six sailing craft on the Pacific Coast, thirty-two are tied up or beached in the San Francisco Bay district, a survey made yesterday shows. Some of the ships are rotting, while others could be put into service within a few days' notice, shipping men say.

Captain Henry E. Lackey, U.S.N., will assume charge of the United States hydrographic office here Monday, it was announced yesterday. He will succeed Capt. T. B. Theleen, who will be retired.

Coastwise Movements

VICTORIA-VANCOUVER

Princess Kathleen leaves Victoria daily, 7 p.m.; arrives Vancouver, 6.30 p.m.

Princess Marguerite arrives Victoria daily 3 p.m.

Princess Joan or Princess Elizabeth leave Victoria daily, midnight.

Princess Joan or Princess Elizabeth arrive Victoria daily, 7 a.m.

Princess Joan or Princess Elizabeth leave Victoria Saturday only, 10.30 a.m.; arrive Vancouver 3 p.m.; leaves Vancouver, Saturday only, 2 p.m.; arrives Victoria 7 p.m.

VICTORIA-SEATTLE

Princess Marguerite leaves Victoria daily 4.30 p.m.; arrives Seattle, 9 p.m.

Princess Kathleen arrives Victoria daily 1.15 p.m.

Iroquois leaves Victoria daily, 10.15 a.m. Iroquois arrives Victoria daily, 8 a.m.

VICTORIA-PORT ANGELES

Iroquois leaves Victoria daily, 10.15 a.m. Iroquois arrives Victoria daily, 9 a.m.

VANCOUVER-NANAIMO

Princess Elaine leaves Nanaimo daily, except Sunday, 7 a.m. and 3.15 p.m.; leaves Vancouver 10 a.m. and 5.45 p.m.; Saturday extra sailing, leaves Nanaimo 8.30 p.m. Sunday service leaves Vancouver 10 a.m. and 8.15 p.m.; leaves Nanaimo 5.30 p.m.

WEST COAST

Princess Maquinna sails from Victoria 1 p.m., 1st, 11th and 21st of each month.

NORTHERN BRITISH COLUMBIA

Prince Rupert or Prince George on Monday evenings from Vancouver, calling at Ocean Falls, Powell River, Prince Rupert, Ketchikan, Stewart and Anyox.

ALASKA SERVICE AND NORTHERN B.C.

Princess Mary will sail from Vancouver p.m., January 25, February 8, February 2 and March 7.

CALIFORNIA SERVICE

Ruth Alexander or Emma Alexander leaves Victoria every Sunday morning, a.m., for San Francisco, Los Angeles and San Diego; Dorothy Alexander leaves every second Wednesday evening at midnight.

Ruth Alexander or Emma Alexander arrives Victoria every Thursday evening; Dorothy Alexander arrives Victoria every second Monday evening.

SALT SPRING ISLAND

Ferry steamer Cy Peck leaves Swartz Bay daily, except Wednesday, 9.30 a.m. and 4.3 p.m.; leaves Fulford Harbor daily except Wednesday, 8.15 a.m. and 9 p.m.

MILL BAY-BRENTWOOD

Cascade leaves Brentwood daily at 9 a.m., 10.10 a.m., 11.30 a.m., 12.45 p.m., 2.40 p.m. and 4.15 p.m.; leaves Mill Bay at 9.35 a.m., 10.45 a.m., 12.15 p.m., 1.30 p.m., 3.45 p.m. and 5 p.m.

West Coast Mails

Mails close 10 p.m. 1st, 11th and 21st each month for Ahousat, Bamfield, Cachalot, Carmanah, Clayoquot, Clo-oose, Ecoole, Estevan Point, Kakawis, Kildonan, Kyuquot, Nootka, Port Renfrew, Queen's Cove, San Mateo, Sechart, Tofino, Ucluelet. Due 9th, 19th and 29th each month.

Close 10 a.m. 21st each month, 8.30 a.m. 22nd each month for Centre Island. Due 29th each month.

Close 8.30 a.m. for Cachalot, Clayoquot, Estevan Point, Kakawis, Kyuquot, Tofino.

Close Sept. 9, 17, 26, then 6th, 16th and 26th each month for Clo-oose, Port Renfrew.

Close 11.15 p.m. Monday, 1.15 p.m. Friday for Holberg, Jeune Landing, Port Alice and Quatsino. Due 7 a.m. Tues., Fri.

Close 8.30 a.m. Tues., Thurs., Sat., for San Mateo, Bamfield, Ecoole, Kildonan. Due 4.30 p.m. Mon., Wed. and Fri.

Close 8.30 a.m. Thurs., Sat. for Sechart and Ucluelet. Due 4.30 p.m. Mon., Fri.